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MANHOOD

Address by the Rev. Guy L. Brown of Trenton, at the Men's Meeting.

On last Sunday afternoon Rev. Guy L. Brown, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, of Trenton, N. J., addressed the Men's Meeting at the Bristol Baptist Church. One hundred and eighty-one men were present.

Local selections were rendered by Mrs. Mitchell Ancker and Harry Bunting. Rev. Brown took for his subject "Manhood," and he delivered a highly interesting address, which was as follows:

REV. BROWN'S ADDRESS.

I congratulate you, gentlemen, on your beautiful little city, and on your preacher, Mr. Johnston. He is being known very favorably among our people on the other side of the Delaware, for his work's sake; and I congratulate you on having such a wide-awake helpful minister in your city; and I congratulate Mr. Johnston on having such a splendid body of men to which to minister from week to week. I have in my ministry had the privilege of addressing various congregations of men, and I am frank to acknowledge, I never in my experience have had the privilege of looking into the faces of a more intelligent, more Godly appearing body than this, this afternoon; and I feel my brother is to be congratulated upon having such a splendid privilege from week to week.

I am happy to be here because I am a native of this state. I was born in Pennsylvania forty years ago, in the northwestern part of it. I lived there during the early part of my life and received the major part of my training in this state. Pennsylvania is very dear to me and I am glad to be back again upon the old soil.

I have been announced to deliver an address which is a little out of my line. I am a preacher of the gospel. Your preacher has announced that he completes twenty years of his ministry; I completed twenty years of my ministry last month. For twenty years I have had the hard always flew to the button on his waistcoat, and while he fingered that button, he could spell anything. One day, at play, with a pair of scissors procured for the purpose, his companion nipped the button from his waistcoat, and ever since when the spelling match was on they teed the line. His competitors were second in the class. At last a tall word came and the champion tackled it and ran well for a period until he reached a difficult syllable then his finger flew to the button, it had gone, in despair he fingered for it, he looked for it, it was gone, then he went up into the air, and his competitor took the coveted place. Now the point which I am trying to make is this: A minister's text is his button. If he has a text, he can walk around it, come up to it occasionally, feel it, at least occupy the time. Rob him of his text, it is hard to tell what will happen. Now I am asked to make an address I have not been granted a text, but I have a splendid text before me, perhaps no better rallying point could be offered, than the face of these men, men who are Christians, I assume, men who are anxious to be right, at any rate. If you will allow me to take you this afternoon, as a rallying point, I shall at least attempt to occupy the time allowed for this service. I would like to talk about the elements of manly character or something of that sort. You may name the address whatever you please, but with you in my mind, I shall speak of manhood.

It is better to be a man than to be a hero. There are few exigencies that offer opportunities for men and crown them as heroes. For instance there was one emergency, one opportunity to enter Manila Bay and Admiral Dewey chanced to be near the point and went in and was crowned. I think it would be doing injustice to American manhood, to say there were not plenty of men all around, who might, if they had been in that position, have entered that morning and been crowned in Dewey's place. He chanced to be the man at the point and entered and was crowned. There are only a few exigencies in life that make what we call heroes, but there is always the chance to be a man, and after all that is the highest and best thing within the attainment of any individual in this audience, this afternoon.

When Goff, the great temperance lecturer, and great man, visited Italy with his wife, they were up among the Alps and John Goff, speaking to the guide suggested that if opportunity presented itself, Mr. Goff would be delighted to see the sun rise above the clouds; and on a morning when a storm was on the guide aroused the sleepers and said: "Mr. Goff, if you are anxious to see the sun rise above the clouds, come with me now." Mr. Goff arose hurriedly, his wife likewise, and they went out into the early morning and followed the guide up, up the rugged path until they reached the point where the guide said, "Watch." In a moment, those who have been in the hills will appreciate it, in a flash the great sun lifted his head out of the eastern horizon and sent his panels of gold down into the clouds beneath them painting the rolling mass into the beauty of the mother of pearl. Enraptured with the sight, Goff turned to his wife and said, "Say darling, can there anything in this world, be more beautiful than this?"

The little woman looked up into his face and said, "Yes, John, to be a man."

She knew the contrast, she knew her husband when he was not a man, when he was a mere animal moved by passion, when he followed the inclination of the beastly passion to ruin, then she knew the same individual when he stood in the strength and glory of that character. To be a man is better than all this. She was right.

Now, my Christian brothers, you must understand this afternoon that an individual is not a man who is granted a franchise. An individual is not a man who simply tips the scales at so many pounds. A man may be able to weigh 150 pounds avoirdupois and still be far less than the genuine interpretation of the term.

What are the elements in character that produce man? I dare say I agree with the sentiment of all here when I declare, in order to produce the highest character, there must be a proper ideal before the life. With less than a true ideal, character drops short of this end. We may never be able to reach our ideal. We may be always less than our ideals; I dare say, we will always be so, but there is no argument in that against ideals. That which leads us on is that which makes us, other things being equally right.

Perhaps I had better refer to a concrete example of what I am trying to reach. In a little village in this state, the one in which my home was located, there were three brothers, sons of the same father and mother, surrounded by the same environment in life.

Two of the boys, the older two, made a shipwreck of life in a most lamentable way and hopeless fashion; one, the younger made his mark and stands today in the very front rank of the best men of his state, bidding fair to secure a position of national trust and distinction.

When they were lads, their environment was the same. The older pair had no higher ambition than to make enough money during the day to buy whiskey with which to get drunk at night. If perchance they had a little left over to increase the portion for the next day that was the height of their ambition. Just a few years ago the older of the two disgraced a drunkard's grave, today the younger of the two older boys is a by-word of disgrace in the village where he lives; while Fred the younger, as I have already indicated stands in the very zenith of his manhood and has a strong vigorous character for God and right and truth.

When Fred was a lad beginning to develop, he walked along the street with a cigarette between his lips, puffing away in a very scientific fashion which the people of the village shake their heads and say: "Blood will tell, that boy is following the steps of his father."

After a little while Fred entered the academy in that village, he chanced to fall in with a good man, Prof. Elliot. He was a good man and understood the problems which were before him. He set himself a task and immediately began to paint pictures of that boy's life and showed that had the possibility of a higher influence and power of living. Fred began to look, listen and admire. It was not long until when meeting Fred on the street you discovered the cigarette had gone, he had washed his face, he had brushed up his old suit to make it look as good as possible.

Meeting Fred on the street you began to hear him talk about Prof. Elliot and of the ideal life that man was living. Not long after that Fred announced himself a Christian in the church, with the result which I have already announced.

The power of an ideal. Now men, life never will reach its highest, never measure up to the fullness of its strength and ability without an ideal. I am glad that, while there are very few people like Prof. Elliot, who draw about themselves in place of an ideal, yet in every life there is a possibility of looking upon the right ideals and using the high standard and pressing forward to that standard for God, for truth and for humanity.

Some people have wondered at the remarkable attainments of the late president of the United States. It is remarkable, coming into a position which he occupied as chief executive of this country; surrounded by all the political rotteness, which characterized his reign. It's rather remarkable Theodore Roosevelt could live above it and obtain the high mark of distinction which he attained and hold in the affections of the people of the United States of America today. A place unparalleled by any president who ever occupied the chair, before Lincoln or since. I think there might be some little explanation in this way.

On the wall of the work shop, so to speak, of Roosevelt, just above the place where the president wrote, looking into the face of the writer, was this suggestive motto: "Be sure you are right, then find points of contact." When Theodore Roosevelt looked up, he looked into the face of that motto. He declared it was that motto that moved him to action. Be sure you are right, then find points of contact. Men, you can have no higher motto as an ideal than Theodore Roosevelt's. A man in this world that is right without points of contact, is of little value to the world or to God. A man who is wrong with points of contact is a dangerous confingency in any community.

A man who is right with points of contact, other things being equal, will accomplish in any community the highest possible attainment within his character. Be sure you're right then find points of contact.

Now it takes a great deal of courage to do the right thing under all circumstances, and not only ideal, but courage is essential in manhood. It is a comparatively easy thing to do that, which is right here this afternoon, or this evening as you shall come to hear the minister speak. It is comparatively an easy thing to do right when you are surrounded by friends and helpers in the home or college or institution of learning. It is quite another thing to do right when it costs something for the doing, but if the thing is right, do it.

If you are convinced in your heart and mind that this course of conduct is the right course, then do it, if the heavens fall. Do it if every friend is severed. Do it.

I knew a lad who entered an institution of learning, at a New England college. He is met by a deputation from the college who solicit him for one of the fraternities. He is told the advantages, how in being a member of that fraternity is an immediate step to become leader with them in the university life. Of course, being a lad who is somewhat green, his early training had been on the farm, he immediately stepped into the net and paid his initiation fee into the fraternity. Now it so chanced that he had not been in long before he discovered that he stood in a perilous place. The men with whom he was associated were the worst and basest of men, notwithstanding the fact that they were rich. He had some sought to know this, that to leave that fraternity without any excuse other than he could offer would draw upon his head the scourge of that society and draw upon his life the denunciation of the wealthy fellows of that institution; and he tried to get them to reform, told them the error of their way; he tried to help them up. The president of the fraternity laughed and said, "Do you expect to come in here, a green lad, from the hills, and teach us what we ought to do, are we listening to freshmen?"

Things went from bad to worse. One night the young man went to the president of the institution and said, "It has come to this, the society reforms or I go out of it." The president with curling lips said, "This society will not reform and you will not go out of it," and held before him the penalty which he knew before but that president robbed it in. The next night all around were evidences of depravity and sin. The lad to whom I refer came in and looked on the sin; he took his coat and hat and said good-bye and went out of that place once for all.

The next morning there was a furore around. The next week everybody was busy in the university; one boy after another who had associated with this individual left him alone; but there wasn't a man in that institution but would own down in his heart that the boy had acted wisely and well. He went through the four years and graduated at the head of his class with honors and distinction because he had wisdom to do the right thing.

A parallel example across the river where one of the most disgraceful debauches that ever occurred under the protection of the State of New Jersey occurred in the city of Trenton in the State House last week at the closing of the session of the New Jersey Legislature when men paid by the honest, sober constituency drank themselves drunk and gave themselves over to depravity and debauchery under the roof of the State House of the Garden State of the nation. Some of the men have been called to task, and asked to explain, are now saying through the papers that they were powerless to enter a protest. They were powerless to enter a protest! You are living near enough to Trenton to know they were not powerless to enter a protest.

If the thing is right men, do it. I have conscience enough through the grace of God to believe if the course of contact is the course we ought to take, God will give us grace to go through if we start.

I remember the experience of that grand old uncle of mine, John Brown, of Harper's Ferry fame. I remember what they used to say about him, and slug about him; how they used to sing "John Brown's body lies a mouldering in the grave," etc. I do know that when John Brown took that good old woman by the hand, his wife, and looked in her face, and said that morning, "I will never come back; this means widowhood to you, but I am doing it for God and the right," he was honest. The world has lived long enough to appreciate the fact that he was honest and some day a great shaft will be raised to his name, to the honor of the man who did the right thing though it meant his life.

Men of Bristol, if it is the right thing to be a christian, be one. If the christian course of life is the right course to do, do it. I wouldn't snap my fingers for the man who in the light of what he ought to do, turns his face and his footsteps in the opposite direction. Courage, it is needed to be a man, but I always admired those old guards under Napoleon. It seems to me, that while they may have been misled in some directions, they ought to suggest to this world by their action one of the prime qualities that go to make a christian. On that eventful day at Waterloo the fates seemed to be working against the Emperor; the day seemed to be lost. It is said old Napoleon dispatched a courier to the famous guards who were standing firm in their place (it is said that it is the first time in the history of the Emperor that he sent a message of that character) to fall back to safety. Every student of French history knows the answer. They sent back an answer by the same courier, "Tell the Emperor that the old guard can die, but never surrender." There may be no justification for the slaying of those Spartans in Thermopylae in the army of Xerxes, nor for the old guard falling in their places from the fact of standing their ground, but the great point is for men in this world fighting a moral fight, God help us to see the wisdom of dying if need be for the moral in preference never under God, never surrender in battle.

Perseverance is the third quality. You ask me what is the difference between courage and perseverance? Some difference. You will find the difference by referring to the dictionary. There is a very nice shade of distinction between the two. I am certain you will find it applicable to the line I am presenting to you this afternoon. The difference is here. It required courage for Christopher Columbus to man his ships in the face of odds of the evil superstition It required courage to point his ships into the unknown sea. It required courage to leave behind the sight of those dear to him and all he hoped to be in life; but it required perseverance, when, after the days had passed into weeks, and mutiny had generated on his ships for the purpose of turning back to the main land, in the face of that suggestion of those who wanted to go back home, to press on toward what he believed to be yonder, means perseverance.

It was courage that caused the Galatians to start, but lack of perseverance caused them to fall. They were courageous in the beginning. The Bible declares they ran well for a season. Nobody questions their running properly while at it, but they failed because they lacked perseverance to press on. Now, I dare say this brother who has preached for twenty years has discovered a great many painful examples of men who started in with sleeves rolled up, so to speak, who have fought desperately during the first charge, and came with reasonable strength in the second, and in the third failed. It may be they fought desperately for two and a half charges, and in the third one failed. Two men drown; the one way out in the ocean, where the water is a mile and a half deep. The other at the pier with his hand just touching the slimy anchor as he is going down; the one out yonder is no more dead than the one here. Two men miss the train, the one at home turning drowsily in bed at the sound of a friend's voice, the other at the station his hand almost grasping the last bars of the last coach; neither will ever go on that train for they have both lost it, the one no more than the other; the other no more than the one. If God would help you to see this afternoon, my dear christian men, and those who would be christian men, that over almost must be written failure, and over those who are furthest away as well as those who courageously enter this but who do not persevere in it, must be written failure in as pronounced letters and with as much truth as over the life of the man who was yonder.

Almost is but to fail; sad, sad, the bitter wail.

Ideal, courage and perseverance. Men of Bristol, if the claim this man has been preaching to you from week to week is the right thing; if you know the highest and best life a man ought to lead is the christian life, then under the name of God and in His holy presence this afternoon as your friend and a possibility of never seeing you again, I beg you to do that one thing now, and lead that life until death ends it, not tomorrow, next week, but until death ends you. Then shall you yourself awake in that land where there shall be no pain and no struggle, but eternal bliss.

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Emilie.

W. Hillborn who purchased a place here this spring is erecting a new barn.

Rev. Mr. Van Horn preached a good sermon on Sunday morning at the M. E. Church.

Misses Eva and Margaret Campbell were entertained by Mrs. Albert Randall on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Campbell entertained Robert Miller, of Philadelphia, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Praul spent Sunday with his brother, William Praul and family.

A musical and literary entertainment for the benefit of the Methodist Church will be given Saturday evening, April 16. An enjoyable time is promised.

Last Sunday the following were entertained by Miss May Lynn, of Falls township: C. T. Blinn, T. E. Praul, William H. Hilborn, Misses A. A. Randall, Lidia Wilson, Anna and Gertrude Updyke and Edna Booz, all of Emilie.

Last Friday evening the congregation of the M. E. Church and friends gave a reception to the pastor and Mrs. O. J. Randall. Rev. Randall has entered his ninth year as pastor of the Emilie Methodist Church. The evening was very pleasantly spent in singing, readings, recitations and an address was made by Mr. Mathers and responded to by Mr. Randall. Flowers and "goodies" were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Randall by C. T. Blinn.

Lower Bensalem.

Mrs. T. Clayton Welles is spending a few days with relatives in Connecticut.

Miss Alice Davis, of Bridgewater, has taken a position in Risley's store in Bristol.

Mrs. James Magill, of Bensalem, is visiting Mrs. David Satterthwaite, of Fallsington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simons, of Cornwells, entertained guests from Philadelphia recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Atle, of Bridgewater, entertained friends from Philadelphia on Sunday.

Mrs. David Reed, of Byberry, and Mrs. Charles Dyer, of Bensalem, were visiting in Bridgewater on Sunday.

The Leonard family, of Philadelphia, have moved to Bridgewater in the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Charles Dyer, of Bensalem.

Frederick Snyder, of Bridgewater, has taken a position at Williamson School, as instructor. He will shortly move his family there.

The Christian Endeavor meeting of the Eddington Presbyterian Church met at the home of Albert Hyde in Bristol on Monday evening.

Mr. Petty, of Cornwells, met with quite a serious accident this week, caused by the trolley jumping the track. His head and arms were badly lacerated.

Mr. and Mrs. MacElroy, of Frankford; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of Tacony, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thorn, of Jersey City, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis.

Roland Reynolds, of Wissinoming, while visiting his grandmother in Bridgewater, met with quite a painful accident caused by a pot of tea accidentally upsetting on him, burning him quite badly. Dr. Carter, of Eddington, dressed the burns.

Tullytown.

William H. Wildman took a flying trip to Connecticut a few days ago.

William H. Brown has removed from the Manor to the Chadwick farm, north of our town.

Warren Carmen is still a patient at St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, having lost two fingers recently.

Ellwood Lawson has been unable to attend to business for more than a week on account of sickness. Mrs. Leland has also been ill.

The engagement of Miss Eleanore B. Caffey, of this place, to George C. Alderfer, of Philadelphia, has been announced. Mr. Alderfer is instructor in German at the Central Manual Training School in Philadelphia.

A Sunday school service will be held in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening next for which a special programme will be prepared. The purpose of this service is to stimulate interest in the work of the Sunday school.

The condition of the primary department of our public school is very crowded, there being now enrolled sixty-one pupils in a single room. There are seats for only fifty-eight and the others are obliged to sit and study on chairs.

The following officers were installed by Ketoowah Tribe, No. 222, I. O. Red Men, of this place, last Thursday evening by District Deputy Williams, of Bristol: Prophet, William Hensor; Sachem, Albert Bond; Senior Sagamore, Charles Carlen, Jr.; Junior Sagamore, Robbins English; Chief of Records, Alvah A. Van Doren; Keeper of Wampum, Rev. O. J. Randall; Trustee, Joshua H. Cooper; Representative to Grand Council, William H. Brown; Alternate Representative, William Woodington.

Andalusia.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gaur last week.

Miss Marjorie Eastman was over from New York last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson are the happy parents of a young babe.

Albert Darrah, Jr., has gone to Atlantic City to engage in business.

Mr. Ritchie has moved up into the village, taking one of the Lippincott houses.

There will be another exhibition of moving pictures at the King Library on Saturday.

Lewis Willard is suffering from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. He was the victim of a like illness several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Biddle were in the village early this week. We shall be glad to announce their early moving out for many pleasant months.

An interesting announcement to some of our readers will be that in a Ledger of last week, viz: the reported engagement of Alexander Brown, of Torresdale.

During the continuance of the moving picture season the King Library will be opened on the Saturday evening and afternoon occurring on those entertainments, but not on any Friday evening. The afternoon service and that of Tuesday evening will be continued as usual until further notice.

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Suspicion Concerning the Borough Water Supply, the Dust Nuisance and Other Topics.

Doylestown, Pa., April 13, 1910.

The past week has been a quiet one in the county seat. The advent of the supposed organization candidate for State Senator, Clarence Buckman, his insertion of his card in Grundy's plaything and the trip he took around the town to meet the "boys" only created a ripple. Clarence obtained the escort of a young politician who knows them all. Under his direction they first met the head of the Bucks County Liquor League and had some pink lemonade with a straw in it, but the interview produced no results. Clarence had no instructions from Grundy and could not give the password that would be an open sesame to the confidence of the chairman of the executive committee. Clarence will meet him later in Philadelphia and will receive proper instructions then—that is provided Clarence is nominated.

Clarence met quite a large number of the rank and file, but as they are the kind that "always go along" it makes but little difference. It looks a little like an off-year, anyhow, and this may be the method that Grundy is taking to introduce Clarence to the toboggan, for while Grim is a candidate for Governor, there are others, and failing the Governorship Grim will probably yield to the voice of the people and again be a candidate for the State Senate.

No one knows what has become of Clymer. Several of Grundy's most ardent admirers and supporters here and near Doylestown are willing to sacrifice their time and business to go to Harrisburg and take orders from the Big Boss, the little boss or any old boss, just so that they are not forgotten when salary day comes around, and get their fair share, or a little more, of the appointments on junketting committees.

DAM OR SPRING WATER?

The new borough engineer seems to be fitting into his place slowly but surely. The water here has been far below its usual quality for several days and an investigation started which is said to have resulted in the discovery that dam water was being used instead of spring or artesian well water. The dam is used as a reservoir supply in case of fire and the water is largely surface water of doubtful purity.

The reason given for its use at this time is said to be that it will make a better showing as to coal consumption because the water from the dam flows into the receiving basin by gravity while that from the artesian wells has to be pumped. Council also discovered that under the old management they were paying from one-half to one-half more for their oils at the water works than the same oils were being bought for by other concerns in the town. This may have been a surprise to some of the Councilmen but probably not to all of them and the question now is "was there graft; if so, who got it?" Council also awoke to the fact that if there should be a break in any of the water mains requiring new pipe that the only thing they could do would be to shut off the water until they could send to Philadelphia for new pipe. This they have remedied to some extent by directing that pipe be ordered and kept on hand for repairs. They are, of course, up against it financially and at their next regular meeting on Monday night will endeavor to hit on some plan to relieve the financial stringency.

BASE BALL PROSPECTS.

Baseball is still the most frequently talked of near future sport for the town. On Saturday there will be a practice game here of teams made up of the men who are signed to play with Doylestown in the league, about twenty in all, and from these candidates the directors of the association, with the assistance of the fans, will select the team to represent Doylestown it the league.

Two games have been arranged with the Morrisville team. One will be played here on April 23 and the return game at Morrisville on April 30. These games will be very interesting as the teams are to be well manned and both want to start the season as winners, as much for the effect it will have on the pocketbooks of their supporters as for any other reason. Doylestown will have a strong team, but it will be composed of men who are largely strangers to each other it will probably be a few weeks before they settle and get their gait. As the league season here does not open until May 21, a game or two with your Bristol team would be highly interesting both to the crowd and the treasuries of the two clubs.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER MARRIED.

On Saturday evening, April 9, at the groom's residence, Dublin, County Commissioner C. T. Haldeman and Mrs. Emma Crouse, of Dublin, formerly of Rieglesville, were united in marriage by the Rev. C. C. Snyder, pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran Church.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white Persian lawn, trimmed in val lace and insertion. A sumptuous wedding supper followed the ceremony. They will reside in Dublin.

"Corneel," as he is usually addressed is the President of the Board of County Commissioners. He is a jolly fellow and tells a good story and is quite a "kidder." Maybe there won't be things done next Monday when he comes fresh from the arms of his blushing bride to preside over the deliberations of the custodians of the affairs of the county.

TO REMOVE GARBAGE.

Possibly inside of a month Doylestown will have its garbage problem solved, as Assistant Jailer Howard C. Vaux is considering a plan by which a systematic removal of garbage can be accomplished at small cost to housekeepers, hotels and restaurants and stores. The main question is that of getting a sufficient number of residents to guarantee to patronize a garbage system and then to get a place to dispose of it. Mr. Vaux believes the plan will be popular enough to enable him to put the service into operation by May 1st. The idea is to remove everything between the hours of 8 a. m. and noon each day as necessary. The cost will be so small and the accommodation so desirable that it will very likely be a success. The demand for such a system has been voiced for some months and is discussed particularly during the hot months.

This will relieve the minds of the Sewer Company to some extent as they will have that much less to handle at their alleged disposal plant. The Sewer Company is still pursuing its plan of "masterly inactivity" and it is freely said that with our present Council no relief will be obtained until Doylestown is devastated by a severe epidemic of typhoid fever. There has been a great deal of sickness here during the past year and while it is not definitely traceable to the neglect of the Sewer Company, still two prominent physicians have said that the sewer conditions under which we labor make the indivdual much more susceptible to the germs of disease and that much of our disease here is largely due to our sewer conditions and still Council does not act and probably will not until it is too late to be of any use.

COUNTY SEAT NOTES.

One of our progressive merchants here is having a voting contest for a piano. In the past there have been charges of favoritism, in many cases the judges or those counting the votes were openly accused. To secure fairness in this contest two newspapermen and a lawyer have been secured to see fair play. Is this another case of "out of the frying pan into the fire?"

One of Doylestown's best known citizens, Oliver Price, whose fame as a horseman extends over a good part of this section of the State, died last Monday night. No horse sale in Doylestown could be successfully conducted unless "Ollie" Price handled the ribbons and gave his opinion of the horse as he stood before the auctioneer's block. He will be greatly missed here where he knew everybody and everybody knew him.

Doylestown's Board of Health has taken up the dust question. Since our streets have been macadamized there is nothing but clouds of dust, dust everywhere and the least indication of a breeze sets it in motion, much to the annoyance of the good housewife and the pedestrian. The Board of Health suggests getting samples of all the various dust preventers in the market and trying them on the streets. They would all have to be big samples for Borough Council cannot afford to buy oil or for that matter anything else. Of course, many individual property owners would fix their own part of the street but unless all did it would hardly be worth while. It will probably come next year.

Fallsington.

Miss Jennie B. Moon is visiting in Philadelphia.

Miss Eliza Hance, of Newtown, is visiting friends here.

E. H. Crosdale has lately purchased two vacuum cleaners.

William E. Watson has a beautiful magnolia tree in full bloom.

Maurice Kirby and children spent Sunday in Burlington, N. J.

William H. Watson has a position with the Mott Iron Company, Trenton.

All Saints Sunday school is now held at 9.30 a. m., instead of 2.30 p. m.

Miss Eva Atkinson, of Newtown, was a Sunday visitor at Dr. J. N. Richards'.

Sunday work has been discontinued in the yards of the P. R. R. until further notice.

The tulip bed on James Watson's lawn attracts much attention, as it is now in full bloom.

Albert White, of Hackensack, and Mrs. Maldoin Rafferty, of New York, were visiting Mrs. William E. Watson last week.

A family from Langhorne moved into one of Mrs. Leavitt's houses temporarily, but has since rented a house belonging to the P. R. R. in the upper part of the village.

Mrs. Charles Brown, who has been superintendent of the M. E. School for many years, has resigned on account of ill health and Marcus Deacon has taken the position.

The directors of Falls township schools have ordered through Dr. Richards, secretary, stone containers for water, each holding four gallons, to be placed in the different school rooms, also individual drinking cups of agate wear.

About seven o'clock Saturday evening the village was startled by the cry of fire and the barn of Anthony Sickles, was found to be in flames. The barn and out-buildings were soon consumed. The fire extinguishers in the village were sent out and by their use the house was saved. All the stock was taken out in safety. The fire seemed to start in the straw, in the lower part of the barn, and it is not known how it originated. Mr. Sickles' barn was struck by lightning and burned several years ago and the barn was also destroyed by the heavy wind storm that passed through there.

Parkland.

Mrs. Emma Sweeny and family are here for a week.

William Grosslick has returned from a visit to his city home.

Mrs. Annie Lippen has returned to her cottage on Highland avenue.

William H. Jones, of Philadelphia, was a visitor at this place one day last week.

Edwards Myers lately spent a few days at his residence on Highland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pepper, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Mrs. Ida Stuard and son, John Stuard, are at present at their residence on avenue B.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reinick and grandson, George Beck, were visiting friends in Byberry on Sunday last.

Mrs. Charles Dunk and daughter, Miss Bertha Dunk, of Trevose, recently visited Mrs. William L. Park.

Robert McIver and family have returned to their cottage on the lower grounds, where they usually spend the summer.

After a pleasant two weeks' visit in Baltimore, Mrs. Joseph Goodman and daughter, Miss Marie Goodman, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haslam are preparing for an increase in business at their general store south of the railroad, by adding to their stock.

Last Sunday Miss Ella Haslam entertained at tea, Miss Elizabeth Reinick and Miss Lillian Greenlee, of this place, and John House and Charles Baker, of Philadelphia.

Because the demand for machinery is exceeding the product in the domestic market it is likely that this country will soon be buying foreign machinery extensively.

Farming in some parts of Nigeria has been rendered unprofitable by the raids of baboons.

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LANGHORNE LOCALS

A Budget of Interesting Items Gathered by Our Correspondent.

A social affair interesting both the friends of Mr. and Mrs. M. Harvey Ivins and Miss Margaret Parsons Ivins occurred on Friday, the affair commemorating the twentieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ivins and marking the debut of Miss Ivins.

About two hundred of their friends were received from four until six o'clock, the harpist, F. Cortesz, and violinist, G. Hyatt, making the occasion

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CENSUS STARTS TODAY.

The census begins today, April 15.

It is of the utmost importance that the fullest and complete replies shall be made to the questions of the enumerators.

The law requires every adult person to furnish the prescribed information, but also provides that it shall be treated confidentially, so that no injury can come to any person from answering the question.

Remember the enumerators ask no questions except those that are required by law for them to ask, so be frank with the inquisition and thus aid in this stupendous task which must be completed throughout the United States in thirty days.

The President has issued a proclamation, calling on all citizens to co-operate with the Census and assuring them that it has nothing to do with taxation, army or jury service, compulsory school attendance, regulation of immigration, or enforcement of any law, and that no one can be injured by answering the inquiries.

The Census Bureau has already distributed to every farm owner and tenant on this State a blank or schedule containing the Census questions relative to farm operations and equipment.

It is of the utmost importance that the farm census of this State be complete and correct. Therefore every farm owner and tenant should promptly, fully and accurately fill up the "Advance Farm Schedule" and have it ready for the enumerator when he calls.

The enumerators will ask a number of seemingly impertinent questions, but the public may be assured that correct answers are absolutely necessary to the success of the Census, and the replies are intended for the ears of the enumerator only.

They will ask your sex, expect you to tell whether you are white, black, mulatto, Chinese, Japanese or Indian; whether you are married or single, and if married, how often; whether you are American or foreign born, and if the latter, that you give not only your nationality, but your race and mother tongue.

If you are a woman, you are to tell how many children have been born to you; and, in any event, you are to tell all about your education, your parentage and your employment.

Help the enumerator to make this 1910 census a success.

According to an exchange, here is the history of many a rich man's daughter: She is born without a welcome, fed on a bottle, cared for by a nurse, reared in a nursery, sent away to school, dressed like a doll. She has a debut, to which eligible young men are invited, she is shown off like a horse at a horse show, and the parents are ready to receive bids for sale. She marries, raises children, tries to raise them as she was raised, but her husband goes "broke," and she awakes to the necessity of being a mother, such as her mother should have been.

THE POETRY OF SAUSAGE.

During the severe cold of late December when the average man, no matter what his occupation, feels that he needs food that "will stick to the ribs," even the one who lives by his pen feels very kindly toward the occupants of the pen, and is capable of rising into the realms of poetic thought over so prosaic a theme as ordinary pork sausage. There is an editor in Baltimore who sings a very sentimental song over this subject every now and then. Another poet laureate of the pig is employed on the Columbus, Ohio State Journal. Here is his latest contribution to the subject:

"There is no use for a person who sticks up his nose at sausage, for sausage is good when it is made right. It is the espouse of the food world to the polar breeze that blows through the morning. It is as sweet as a plate of strawberries on a mild June day. But it must be made right. Good sausage is an art product. It is made up of judgment, taste and skill. It is a combination of ingredients that correlate with one another as the fragrance and the blush of the rose. The butcher doesn't understand this. Generally he throws in some scraps and odds and ends, and especially the odds, dabs on some salt, pepper and sage, grinds it out and the confiding customer buys it because it is sausage. He doesn't like it very well, but he eats it, and everything goes.

"The other day we saw a customer in a meat shop direct the making of his own sausage. He selected the meat, simon-pure cuts off the best parts, had it ground, and took it home to season it there. That man knows how to take care of himself. He knows art from a bull's foot. He appreciates the true sentiment of sausage."

A man, who was a small boy in the early fifties of the last century, reads the foregoing extract and smacks his lips. That reminds him of the sausage his grandparents used to make on the little farm he visited from time to time. He declares he can taste the delicate aroma of that sausage yet after the lapse of almost sixty years. He does not think the modern article compares favorably with the home-made product of those times, but his palate may deceive him and his appetite may not be so keen. There's considerable amount of genuinely fragrant sausage made in the twentieth century. And much of it is produced in Pennsylvania.

Some one makes this pertinent comment: "Don't run with the crowd. Don't vote with the majority. Dare to be singular. Be somebody. Be natural. Stand for something. All through the ages God has put immense honor upon individuals—the assertion of individuality. Truths which now sway the world were first proclaimed by individual lips."

The Monthly Bulletin of the Dairy and Food Division of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture shows that Bucks county has no licensed dealer in oleomargarine. Therefore, theoretically, no oleo is sold in the county.

An old soldier in Fort Scott, who has been drawing a pension since 1866, recently asked to have the amount of his pension reduced one-half. In consequence it is suspected that he is losing his mind and the probate court will inquire into this case.

The New York Evening Mail, a Republican newspaper, states that of at least fifty Republican Congressmen who hold their seats by majorities of 1000 not one believes that he could be re-elected today and not ten believe they can be re-elected in November.

The insurgents against Cannon, as a Republican newspaper, The Cleveland Leader, states "are fighting the battles of the great American people—fighting for a people's Congress—for a representative government" and the only thing that will end the war is the defeat of Cannon and the overthrow of Cannonism and Aldrichism in the National Congress.

Attorney General Wickersham during his address to the Hamilton Club in Chicago last Saturday evening described the passage of the Aldrich tariff law as "a purely selfish scramble for government aid, furthered by every form of misrepresentation and misinformation." President Taft, at Winona, declared the same measure to be the "best tariff law ever passed by the Republican party."

According to the secretary of the National Poultry Organization of England, an egg should be either three or four years old or not more than three or four days. He says: "I have eggs from China which are excellent. The Chinese wrap them in clay, put them away for three years and then bake them. The clay pulls off the shell and the interior resembles a plover's egg in appearance. They are much nicer than a stale English egg, because the chemical process of change is complete. The abomination is the mouth old egg, which the co-operative depots we are establishing are designed to abolish."

Charles Edward Russell, in his article in the Success magazine, "The Power Behind the Republic," says:

I like the Pennsylvania story, dull as it is, because it is so perfect and typical and seems in a way to offer support to my contention that what we want now is frank acknowledgment of the existing facts and certain formal changes to meet them. For almost forty years there has been no government of Pennsylvania, outside of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The matchless organization of that great institution has supplied every form of government necessary to the conduct of the material essentials of modern society. It has not merely controlled the Government—it has been the Government and all branches thereof. It once carried its performance of governmental functions so far that its leading spirits sat as the State Legislature and balloted for United States Senator.

An anonymous Camden correspondent sends us a clipping from the Philadelphia Inquirer quoting Congressmen Payne, Dalzell and Boutell in justification of the Aldrich tariff law, citing the alleged fact that that beneficial customs law in less than a year of its operation had turned a government deficit into a surplus. We are forced to the conclusion that our unknown friend assumes that because the tariff law takes sufficient dollars from the pockets of the people and places than in the government treasury, forsooth, the law consequently is a wise and meritorious measure. However, we remember too well the details of the framing and the passage of the bill to entertain the exalted opinion suggested by our correspondent, although we have no quarrel with anyone who has honest views concerning the Aldrich law.

Two Team Drivers--A Contrast.

Philadelphia North American.

Yesterday a wagon drawn by two horses stopped at the foot of the hill before our residence. The driver reined in his team.

"Wait a minute, boys," he said kindly "and get your wind. It's a hard road. Now you've got it. Go ahead." The wagon bore the name of Owen Hatton, Jr., brick manufacturer.

I turned the corner and walked a little further down the road. Another heavy team; the driver jerked the bits in his horses' mouths. "Whoap! What the hell is the matter with you?" It was an American Ice Company's wagon.

Foss in Washington.

Washington Letter

Eugene N. Foss is the first real independent to be sent to Congress in the memory of the old-timers. He comes on the only terms that ever could be made with him by either party, that he be left perfectly free to vote as he pleases. He will be hailed as an insurgent, as, no doubt, he is, but he will ask neither party to claim him; and as he arrives at the proper moment when regularity is at a discount, and rebellion at a premium, his lines will fall in more pleasant places than if he had been elected as a regular Republican in the memorable campaign of 1902. Peter Porter came as an independent Republican to the House from Wadsworth district in New York a few years ago and wandered about the capitol like a man without a country, although finally he was accepted by the Republican leaders as "regular" enough for their practical purposes.

Whitewashing The Tariff.

Wall Street Journal.

The problem of the high cost of living is still before us. The ridiculous Senate inquiry has continued its efforts to collect party material for the coming congressional campaign. Beyond resentment that the taxpayer's money should be wasted in such foolery, the transparent effort to whitewash the tariff has merely excited contempt. Indiana, through its Republican state convention, has denounced the Payne-Aldrich tariff and the political situation all round looks ugly for the administration, which, after all, has only itself to thank. Mr. Taft's conceptions of party loyalty have put him in the position of defending the indefensible. He cannot possibly suppose that the woolen and cotton schedules of the tariff law constitute sound or even tolerable taxation. His well-meant efforts have only resulted in arousing public sentiment on the question of endowing favored manufacturers out of the public pocket, in a way that it has never been awakened before.

Calhoun Among Pygmies.

Richmond, Va., Times Dispatch.

In his oration at the unveiling of the Calhoun statue in the capitol at Washington last week, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge touched a good many of the states on the raw when he expressed the wish that Calhoun could "stand with none but his peers about him, and not elbowed and crowded by the temporarily notorious and illustrious obscure." In that case, however, Calhoun would stand almost alone. It is true that there are a number of Virginians—Washington, Jefferson, Marshall, Lee, Madison and that sort—who would be fit company for him, and a man by the name of Clay, from Kentucky, and a man by the name of Webster, from Massachusetts, and a corporal's guard of other genuine men of mark; but the hall of fame would look very empty if only the men who were of the Calhoun type should be placed in it. It is well, therefore, that Calhoun should stand among the pygmies, because we have a common country now, and it is well that its commonness should be emphasized to keep us all humble.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

S. W. Gehrett, pastor, will preach at 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m.

Morning subject: "A Grand Old Man?" Evening: "No Room for Jesus."

Sunday school, 2.00 p. m.

Epworth League, 6.45 p. m.

Class meetings: Sunday, 9.30 a. m.; Tuesday, 8.00 p. m.

Junior Epworth League, Wednesday, 4.15 p. m.; prayer meeting, 8.00 p. m.

Quarterly Conference, Thursday, 7.45 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor, 7.45 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7.45.

The Ladies of the church will give a baked shad supper on April 23d at 5.30 p. m. Tickets, 25 cents.

ST PAUL'S EPISCOPAL.

Holy Communion, 7.30 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon, 10.30.

Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Evening prayer and sermon, 7.30.

The appointments for the week are: Girls' Friendly Society, Monday, 8 p. m.

Women's Guild, at the residence of Mrs. Bostwick, Tuesday, 3 p. m.

Evening prayer and sermon, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Boys' Club, in parish house, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Men's Club, in parish house, Thursday, 8, p. m.

Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m.

BAPTIST.

On Sunday morning the pastor will preach the first of a series of six sermons on the Twenty-third Psalm.

Sunday school at 2.00 p. m.

Men's Meeting at 4 o'clock to be addressed by Rev. Robert Stanley Faulkbrook, pastor-evangelist, late of London, England.

Young Peoples' meeting at 6.45.

Evening service at 7.45. Sermon by pastor and ordinance of baptism.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL.

Morning prayer and sermon, 10.30.

Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Meeting of Daughters of the King at 3.30 p. m.

Evening prayer and sermon, 7.30. Rev. Arthur C. Allen.

Thursday, 7.30 p. m., Young Women's Guild.

Friday, 7.30 p. m., choir rehearsal.

Saturday, 2.30 p. m., sewing school.

Monday, April 18th, at 7.45 p. m., chapter meeting of Daughters of the King. Mrs. W. H. Bown in charge.

The closing exercises for the season of the Mothers' Meeting was held in the parish building, Thursday afternoon. This being entirely a social session, a bountiful lunch was served.

Mrs. David Mulholland entertained the Mothers' Meeting of St. James Parish in fine style, in honor of her birthday, Monday evening, at her home on Lafayette street.

EDDINGTON PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday school with classes for all ages and grades at 9.30 a. m.

Preaching service at 10.45.

Sermon upon "The Law and the Gospel of the Sabbath Day," by the pastor, Rev. T. Clayton Welles.

The subject of the evening service will be "Good Cheer in Dark Days." The leader will be Miss Mabel F. Gettel.

On Monday evening the Sunday School Association will meet with H. H. McCoy, of Croydon.

The College Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Reynolds, of Bridgewater.

CORNWELLS METHODIST.

Prayer service every Wednesday evening.

Sunday services—10.15, prayer service, leader, Brother Charles Foster; 10.45, sermon by the pastor; 2.30, Sunday school; 7.15, Epworth League; 8.00, preaching by the pastor.

A welcome awaits you at all these services.

NEWPORTVILLE UNION CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.

Sunday school for all classes, 2.30.

Prayer and praise service, 3.30.

Evening service will be conducted by Rev. William Van Hook, with song service, 7.30 o'clock.

Everybody will be welcome to attend these services.

The Grand Order Cigar.

Smoke the greatest of all cigars, the Grand Order 5c Cigar. Max Cohen, distributor. 3-18-4t

The Chicago Tribune is showing signs of approaching second childhood. It says there would have been no muck rakers had there been no muck to rake.

Winnipeg City is literally built over a swamp.

LITTLE TARIFF TALKS.

(Responsible articles that have been written by competent authorities and have appeared in print.)

AS TO DUTIES ON LEAD.

The excessive duties in the present law on pig lead, white lead, red lead, orange mineral, the products from which are made the paints that are used to preserve the homes and buildings of the people have been maintaine at practically the present rates, when there is conclusive evidence that such duties are far in excess of the difference in cost of production at home and abroad. The duty on pig lead is fixed at $12.50 a ton more than the duty on lead in the ore, while the evidence shows that the entire cost of reducing the lead from ore to pigs does not exceed $8 a ton and the maximum difference in the cost of such reduction in this cost over that in any other country in the world does not exceed $4. Yet in his bill a duty of $12.50 a ton is provided to cover that difference.

It has also been clearly demonstrated that as a result of such excessive duties combinations have been formed by the manufacturers of these articles by which exorbitant prices have been charged the public for lead and lead paints. These high duties and the high prices of the lead paints have resulted in the making of large amounts of paints from cheaper materials, such as barytes. These cheaper paints have become serious competitors with the paints made from the products of the lead trust, and apparently in order to protect the trust further, the duty on crude barytes has been doubled in this bill. It has been increased from about 20 to 40 per cent ad valorem. The maintenance of these high rates is in direct violation of the pledges made the people in the campaign.

Human Life for April.

Human Life has a birthday in April, which it proposes to celebrate in royal style by an issue that is an all-star cast.

The cleverest fool in Christendom so clever that a big New York manager has corralled him for life—is the subject of an enormously interesting story by Rufus H. Gillmore. His adventures line up with those of Sindbad, the Sailor, with the added merit of being all true.

In "The Mystery of Dreyfus" Charles Edward Russell, looking back through a perspective of more than a decade, throws new light on one of the most amazing and momentous happenings in modern history.

Alfred Henry Lewis with this issue closes his series, "Traveling with Taft," with some surprising sidelights on the Utah end of the trip, and the mighty and little understood power of the Mormon in politics.

Leigh Hunt, the man who inoculated Roosevelt with the African hunting bacilli, has had about the most fascinating career a man could have. Read it in this issue.

A wonderful and indispensable cog in the machinery of modern business life is J. K. Turner, and LaVerne A. Barber tells all about him and his work in this issue.

The April issue carries twice the usual number of illustrations, picturing stirring scenes in the great drama of modern life the world over. There are a dozen other departments, all full of unique and varied interest.

HUMAN LIFE PUBLISHING CO., Boston.

A New Advertisement.

You remember when I had the greenhouses I raised pansies for sale. I have the finest assortment now that I ever raised at 50 cents per dozen. Probably you can buy them elsewhere at 35 cents per dozen. I ship them by the hundred at a rate of 36 cents per dozen. Would it look well for me to sell them for 35 cents per dozen, when they net me 36 cents per dozen by the hundred? Cabbage and lettuce plants for sale; tomato, pepper and egg plant plants ready May 1st. I am prepared to make flower beds, dig gardens and take care of lawns in my spare time by the hour. Drop me a card and I will come to see you.

CHARLES MYERS,
517 Pond street, Bristol, Pa.

In Memoriam.

CHERRY — In loving remembrance of Euphemia B. Cherry, wife of John Cherry, who died April 15, 1909.

Weep not that her toils are over,
Weep not that her race is run,
God grant we may rest as calmly,
When our work, like hers, is done.
'Tit then we yield with gladness,
Our mother to Him to keep,
And rejoice in the sweet assurance,
"He giveth His loved ones sleep."

FAMILY.

No Wonder She's Cross.

The woman who has a thousand petty cares and annoyances while she suffers with headache or sideache must not be blamed if she cannot always be angelically amiable. What she needs is thoughtfulness from her family and such a simple and natural remedy as Lane's Family Medicine, the herb tea that makes weak women strong and well. Sold by druggists and dealers. 25c.

A big elm tree was cut down at Winslow, Pa., a week ago and those who counted the rings in the trunk said that the tree was at least 325 years old.

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3 lbs. Whole Grain Rice,	10c
Pure Lard, per pound,	16c
"Sweet Bloom" Butter, lb,	38c
3 lbs. Best Rolled Oats,	10c
3 big Cream Chocolate Eggs,	5c
Large Muscatel Raisins, lb.,	5c
Good size Meaty Prunes, lb.,	5c
12c package Buckwheat,	7c
Pure Cider Vinegar, gal.,	13c
Large can solid Tomatoes,	6c
Fancy Pink Salmon, 2 cans,	25c
3 pounds Best Starch,	10c
Childs' Best Flour, bag,	39c
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Singapore Pineapples
New crop just received.
10c can.

Fresh Spring Vegetables and Fruits
Here is a partial list of fresh vegetables and fruits that will tickle the palate:
Asparagus, 25c; celery, 10c; lettuce, 10c; grape fruit, 10c; cucumbers, 10c; oranges, 35c; tomatoes, 20c; Oregon apples, 8c; mushrooms, 35c; radishes, 5c; scullions, 3 for 5c; spinach, 15c.

OLD FASHIONED SYRUP MOLASSES
Drawn from the barrel. Send your can or jug.
15 Cents Quart.

Old-fashioned New Orleans Molasses
Drawn direct from the barrel.
15 Cents Quart.

PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR
12 1-4 lb. bag, 45c.

Dried Apples
Blue ribbon, choicest northern grown,
12c lb.

Apricots
Fancy California fruit, dried in the sun, very choice,
18c lb.

Fruit Jams
Assorted flavors in glass tumblers,
9c.
Tumblers worth 2c.

California Prunes
Meaty, thin-skinned, new fruit,
10c lb.

THESE ARE A FEW OF OUR ATTRACTIVE OFFERS UNTIL NEXT TUESDAY'S CLOSING:

Lowry's Tartan Coffee
This famous brand of coffee is put up in sealed air-tight cans, and is well known as a top-notch coffee in every respect. It has always been sold for 35c a can.
Special Price, 29c lb. can.

Large Can Fine Pears.
Heavy syrup, nice and sweet, 2½ lb. cans,
10c can.

Extra Fine California Peaches
Finest grade of lemon cling peaches, generally sold at 25c can.
Special Price, 20c can.

Fresh Delaware River Shad
We have fresh shad every morning, caught right here at home in the Delaware river. What is better than a delicious roe shad? If you cannot use a whole one we will split it and sell you a half.

TOMATOES
Extra large cans, of fanciest selected Jersey fruit, hand-picked and hand-packed.
10c or 3 cans for 25c

100 Yellow Stamps Free
WITH
1 lb. of English Breakfast Tea, 35c

50 Yellow Stamps Free
WITH
1 lb. of Choice Blend Coffee, 30c

HORN'S
241-43 MILL ST., BRISTOL

Fresh Country Eggs
29 Cents doz.
These eggs are brought to us every day by near-by farmers and are guaranteed to be absolutely fresh.

Fine Norway Mackerel
Fat and juicy. Nicest mackerel we have handled. Weigh about 1 1-4 lb., 15c apiece; smaller ones,
5 cents apiece.

Yellow Trading Stamps.
Remember that with every 10c purchase we give a Yellow Trading Stamp, without any extra charge. Fill your book and obtain beautiful premiums.

3 cans of Extra Fine Peas, 25c
These are nice, sweet peas, which we regularly sell for 12c per can.

3 cans of String Beans, 25c
Extra fine stringless variety.

Butter
New York State Butter, equal to the best,
37c lb.
Famous Fox River, a print butter,
43c lb.

Chase & Sanborn's Celebrated Coffee

Very Best Mocha and Java, lb.,	32c
Chase & Sanborn's Superior, lb.,	25c
Chase & Sanborn's Blend, lb.,	20c

These coffees are the very finest in the market. No better anywhere at any price.

Vanilla and Lemon Flavoring
Strictly pure, 10c bottle,
9c

The Bucks County Ga

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Look out for the comets man
starts on his inquisitorial route

Miss Mary P. Rogers is visiti
sister, Mrs. Arthur Iredell, at Pa
Post, N. Y.

A miserable job was made
pairing the crossing at Radcliff
Franklin streets.

Edward Wiebser, of Jefferson
nue, left Bristol on Tuesday to
the Williams-on Trade School.

The Misses Sarah and Lucy L
bough are spending a week a
Hotel Devonshire, Atlantic City

The Misses Vanuxem and
bell, high school teachers, will
tain the graduating class this eve

A porch is being built acro
front of the houses of Roland
gard and V. V. Vanzant, 93
937 Radcliffe street.

J. Johnson Stone, head fireman
the United States Battleship T
sey, spent Monday with Willia
Renfine on Cedar street.

Augustus Parsell, of William
Pa., and daughter, Miss Jessie
sell, are visiting the former's bro
Dr. Howard and Stacy B. Pars

Mrs. Irving Miller, of Penn
who is suffering with appendi
will go to a Philadelphia ho
tomorrow to undergo an operatio

Mrs. Joshua Burton has sold
portion of the lot containing a
in the rear of her residence on
ington street, to William H. For

Mrs. Edward Holme, of Los
geles, California, is visiting
father and sister, Joseph Wood
Mrs. Henry Baker, in West B
township.

Ernest Lawrence, the retired
tractor, who had a slight par
stroke last week, is improving
able to walk about the house
the aid of a cane.

Mrs. Henry Lovett, of Langh
entertained at luncheon last F
the District Primary Sunday S
Superintendents. Mrs. George A
of Bristol, was one of the guests.

A special from Mauch Chunk
that sixteen loaded boats left
Coalport wharf for Bristol and
tidewater points, being the
that coal has been shipped on
canal for eighteen years.

Edgar Smith, who for over
has been employed in engine
work in the construction of a rai
in the Amazon river country, B
South America, returned home
Friday coming by the way o
land.

One of a valuable team o
horses recently purchased by Ed
M. Police, had its leg broken i
stall last Tuesday night by
kicked by its companion in th
joining stall. The animal had
killed by Dr. Haines.

The old Beaver Meadow Ma
house opposite the Gazette offic
cently occupied as an Elks hom
been entirely demolished this
and in its place will rise a hand
edifice to be used for lodge and
purposes by the Elks.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Shore
New York City, have returne
their home after a two weeks'
with relatives and friends in B
and vicinity. Mr. Shores is now
ployed as a brakeman on the
Haven and Hartford railroad.

A baked shad supper for the b
of the Presbyterian Church wi
given in the dining hall of the ch
on Saturday, April 23, at 5.30 p
Besides baked shad there will b
attractive menu. Tickets, 25
There will also be useful and
articles for sale.

A number of property owners o
Fourth ward held a meeting la
ening in the base house of the Ba
Fire Company and entered a pr
against the closing of some of
streets and alleys of that ward by
embankment of the new elevated
of the Pennsylvania railroad.

The excavations are being mad
the erection of ten new brick ho
on Pond street by Jonathan S. Wr
They will be two-story, six-
houses. The old frame dwelling a
the railroad, formerly occupied by
late George Johns is being torn d
to make room for two of the
houses.

George Molden, son of Mr and
Harry J. Molden, of Bath street,
graduated with high honors, ha
an average of 98, at the Eckels
lege of Embalming, Philadelphia,
successfully passed the examina
of the State Board of Undertakers
has been granted a license to pra
undertaking.

A runaway horse caused
able excitement on Cedar and
cliffe streets on Sunday aftern
The horse started from in fron
Risley's ice cream parlors and ra
Cedar street to the "pocket"
then down Radcliffe off of Lafay
street. The horse was finally ca
at Mill street. No damage was
to either horse or carriage.

William Squier, formerly Penn
vania railroad freight and pass
agent at Bristol, has moved with
family from Bath street to Stel
N. J., to which point he has
transferred. Mr. Squier's rem
makes another vacancy in the Sc
Board. Moses Lowder having
signed at the last meeting owin
the fact of his removal to Pi
Ohio.

Major Herbert Deakyne, of
Board of United States Army E
neers, had a public hearing yeste
afternoon in the borough cou
chamber for the consideration
discussion of the establishment
harbor lines by the war departm
along the Delaware river at and
Bristol. A number of persons
present, who were interested in
work of improving the water fron

Miss Nancy York, daughter of
late Angus York, and John Baldw
of Chester, were married in Phila
phia last Saturday afternoon at
home of Rev. E. E. Burris, form
pastor of the Bristol M. E. Chu
The bride and groom will reside
Chester, where Mr. Baldwin had
pared a newly furnished home.
Baldwin resided in Bristol for a s
time, having had a position
with the Standard Cast Iron
Foundry Company.

Rev. Dr. Henry Hasfam, pasto
the Gethsemane Baptist Church, P
adelphia, who has addressed
men's meeting at the Bristol Ba
Church, by request of the Execu
Committee of the American Ba
Foreign Missionary Society and
the unanimous vote of his conge
tion, has been elected an official d
gate to the World's Missionary Con
ence, which will be held in Ed
burg, Scotland, June 14 to 23.

Mrs. Margaret Hannah Hyr
aged 69 years, died last Friday n
at the home of her son, Clar
Hyrons, 337 Cedar street, of ac
pectoris. Mrs. Hyrons had bee
sufferer for several years with ch
nephritis. She came to Bristol te
twelve years ago from Wilmingt
Del., with her sons, Clarence
Clifford Hyrons, who are experts
the business at the Corons Leat
Works. Besides the two sons
deceased is also survived by a dau
ter, Mrs. Martha Way, of Philad
phia. The body was shipped to W
mington for interment on Tuesday.

For the third time within a
the dry goods store of Silber Broth
Dorrance street, between Pond st
and the railroad, was entered by b
glars early last Friday morning.
glass in the bulk window was bro
and the thieves helped themselve
two pairs of trousers, a lady's sk
several belts and a scarf. Samuel a
Benjamin Silber, who reside in
house were awakened about th
o'clock by the sound of break
glass. They rushed down stairs
the intruder, possibly more than
person, had escaped. The police
partment was notified, but no arr
have been made.

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CENSUS STARTS TODAY.

The census begins today, April 15.

It is of the utmost importance that the fullest and complete replies shall be made to the questions of the enumerators.

The law requires every adult person to furnish the prescribed information, but also provides that it shall be treated confidentially, so that no injury can come to any person from answering the question.

Remember the enumerators ask no questions except those that are required by law for them to ask, so be frank with the inquisition and thus aid in this stupendous task which must be completed throughout the United States in thirty days.

The President has issued a proclamation, calling on all citizens to co-operate with the Census and assuring them that it has nothing to do with taxation, army or jury service, compulsory school attendance, regulation of immigration, or enforcement of any law, and that no one can be injured by answering the inquiries.

The Census Bureau has already distributed to every farm owner and tenant on this state a blank or schedule containing the Census questions relative to farm operations and equipment.

It is of the utmost importance that the farm census of this State be complete and correct. Therefore every farm owner and tenant should promptly, fully and accurately fill up the "Advance Farm Schedule" and have it ready for the enumerator when he calls.

The enumerators will ask a number of seemingly impertinent questions, but the public may be assured that correct answers are absolutely necessary to the success of the Census, and the replies are intended for the ears of the enumerator only.

They will ask your sex, expect you to tell whether you are white, black, mulatto, Chinese, Japanese or Indian; whether you are married or single, and if married, how often; whether you are American or foreign born, and if the latter, that you give not only your nationality, but your race and mother tongue.

If you are a woman, you are to tell how many children have been born to you; and, in any event, you are to tell all about your education, your parentage and your employment.

Help the enumerator to make this 1910 census a success.

According to an exchange, here is the history of many a rich man's daughter: She is born without a welcome, fed on a bottle, cared for by a nurse, reared in a nursery, sent away to school, dressed like a doll. She has a debut, to which eligible young men are invited, she is shown off like a horse at a horse show, and the parents are ready to receive bids for sale. She marries, raises children, tries to raise them as she was raised, but her husband goes "broke," and she awakes to the necessity of being a mother, such as her mother should have been.

THE POETRY OF SAUSAGE.

During the severe cold of late December when the average man, no matter what his occupation, feels that he needs food that "will stick to the ribs," even the one who lives by his pen feels very kindly toward the occupants of the pen, and is capable of rising into the realms of poetic thought over so prosaic a theme as ordinary pork sausage. There is an editor in Baltimore who sings a very sentimental song over this subject every now and then. Another poet laureate of the pig is employed on the Columbus, Ohio State Journal. Here is his latest contribution to the subject:

"There is no use for a person who sticks up his nose at sausage, for sausage is good when it is made right. It is the response of the food world to the polar breeze that blows through the morning. It is as sweet as a plate of strawberries on a mild June day. But it must be made right. Good sausage is an art product. It is made up of judgment, taste and skill. It is a combination of ingredients that correlate with one another as the fragrance and the blush of the rose. The butcher doesn't understand this. Generally he throws in some scraps and odds and ends, and especially the odds, dats on some salt, pepper and sage, grinds it out and the confiding customer buys it because it is sausage. He doesn't like it very well, but he eats it, and everything goes.

"The other day we saw a customer in a meat shop direct the making of his own sausage. He selected the meat, almost-pure cuts off the best parts, had it ground, and took it home to season it there. That man knows how to take care of himself. He knows art from a hoft's foot. He appreciates the true sentiment of sausage."

A man, who was a small boy in the early fifties of the last century, reads the foregoing extract and smacks his lips. That reminds him of the sausage his grandparents used to make on the little farm he visited from time to time. He declares he can taste the delicate aroma of that sausage yet after the lapse of almost sixty years. He does not think the modern article compares favorable with the home-made product of those times, but his palate may deceive him and his appetite may not be so keen. There's considerable amount of genuinely fragrant sausage made in the twentieth century. And much of it is produced in Pennsylvania.

Some one makes this pertinent comment: "Don't run with the crowd. Don't vote with the majority. Dare to be singular. Be somebody. Be natural. Stand for something. All through the ages God has put immense honor upon individuals—the assertion of individuality. Truths which now sway the world were first proclaimed by individual lips."

The Monthly Bulletin of the Dairy and Food Division of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture shows that Bucks county has no licensed dealer in oleomargarine. Therefore, theoretically, no oleo is sold in the county.

An old soldier in Fort Scott, who has been drawing a pension since 1866, recently asked to have the amount of his pension reduced one-half. In consequence it is suspected that he is losing his mind and the probate court will inquire into this case.

The New York Evening Mail, a Republican newspaper, states that of at least fifty Republican Congressmen who hold their seats by majorities of 1000 not one believes that he could be re-elected today and not ten believe they can be re-elected in November.

The insurgents against Cannon, as a Republican newspaper, The Cleveland Leader, states "are fighting the battles of the great American people—fighting for a people's Congress—for a representative government" and the only thing that will end the war is the defeat of Cannon and the overthrow of Cannonism and Aldrichism in the National Congress.

Attorney General Wickersham during his address to the Hamilton Club in Chicago last Saturday evening described the passage of the Aldrich tariff law as "a purely selfish scramble for government aid, furthered by every form of misrepresentation and misinformation." President Taft, at Winona, declared the same measure to be the "best tariff law ever passed by the Republican party."

According to the secretary of the National Poultry Organization of England, an egg should be either three or four years old or not more than three or four days. He says: "I have eggs from China which are excellent. The Chinese wrap them in clay, put them away for three years and then bake them. The clay pulls off the shell and the interior resembles a plover's egg in appearance. They are much nicer than a stale English egg, because the chemical process of change is complete. The abomination is the month old egg, which the co-operative depots we are establishing are designed to abolish."

Charles Edward Russell, in his article in the Success magazine, "The Power Behind the Republic," says:

I like the Pennsylvania story, dull as it is, because it is so perfect and typical and seems in a way to offer support to my contention that what we want now is frank acknowledgment of the existing facts and certain formal changes to meet them. For almost forty years there has been no government of Pennsylvania, outside of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The matchless organization of that great institution has supplied every form of government necessary to the conduct of the material essentials of modern society. It has not merely controlled the Government- it has been the Government and all branches thereof. It once carried its performance of governmental functions so far that its leading spirits sat as the State Legislature and balloted for United States Senator.

An anonymous Camden correspondent sends us a clipping from the Philadelphia Inquirer quoting Congressmen Payne, Dalzell and Boutell in justification of the Aldrich tariff law, citing the alleged fact that that beneficent customs law in less than a year of its operation had turned a government deficit into a surplus. We are forced to the conclusion that our unknown friend assumes that because the tariff law takes sufficient dollars from the pockets of the people and places them in the government treasury, forsooth, the law consequently is a wise and meritorious measure. However, we remember too well the details of the framing and the passage of the bill to entertain the exalted opinion suggested by our correspondent, although we have no quarrel with anyone who has honest views concerning the Aldrich law.

Two Team Drivers--A Contrast.

Philadelphia North American.

Yesterday a wagon drawn by two horses stopped at the foot of the hill before our residence. The driver reined in his team.

"Wait a minute, boys," he said kindly "and get your wind. It's a hard road. Now you've got it. Go ahead." The wagon bore the name of Owen Hatton, Jr., brick manufacturer.

I turned the corner and walked a little further down the road. Another heavy team; the driver jerked the bits in his horses' mouths. "Whoup! What the hell is the matter with you?" It was an American Ice Company's wagon.

Foss in Washington.

Washington Letter.

Eugene N. Foss is the first real independent to be sent to Congress in the memory of the old-timers. He comes on the only terms that ever could be made with him by either party, that he be left perfectly free to vote as he pleases. He will be hailed as an insurgent, as, no doubt, he is, but he will ask neither party to claim him; and as he arrives at the proper moment when regularity is at a discount, and rebellion at a premium, his lines will fall in more pleasant places than if he had been elected as a regular Republican in the memorable campaign of 1902. Peter Porter came as an independent Republican to the House from Wadsworth district in New York a few years ago and wandered about the capitol like a man without a country, although finally he was accepted by the Republican leaders as "regular" enough for their practical purposes.

Whitewashing The Tariff.

Wall Street Journal.

The problem of the high cost of living is still before us. The ridiculous Senate inquiry has continued its efforts to collect party material for the coming congressional campaign. Beyond resentment that the taxpayer's money should be wasted in such foolery, the transparent effort to whitewash the tariff has merely excited contempt. Indiana, through its Republican state convention, has denounced the Payne-Aldrich tariff and the political situation all round looks ugly for the administration, which, after all, has only itself to thank. Mr. Taft's conceptions of party loyalty have put him in the position of defending the indefensible. He cannot possibly suppose that the woolen and cotton schedules of the tariff law constitute sound or even tolerable taxation. His well-meant efforts have only resulted in arousing public sentiment on the question of endowing favored manufacturers out of the public pocket, in a way that it has never been awakened before.

Calhoun Among Pygmies.

Richmond, Va., Times Dispatch.

In his oration at the unveiling of the Calhoun statue in the capitol at Washington last week, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge touched a good many of the states on the raw when he expressed the wish that Calhoun could "stand with none but his peers about him, and not elbowed and crowded by the temporarily notorious and illustrious obscure." In that case, howevery Calhoun would stand almost alone. It is true that there are a number of Virginians—Washington, Jefferson, Marshall, Lee, Madison and that sort—who would be fit company for him, and a man by the name of Clay, from Kentucky, and a man by the name of Webster, from Massachusetts, and a corporal's guard of other genuine men of mark; but the hall of fame would look very empty if only the men who were of the Calhoun type should be placed in it. It is well, therefore, that Calhoun should stand among the pygmies, because we have a common country now, and it is well that its commoneuse should be emphasized to keep us all hum ale.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

S. W. Gehrett, pastor, will preach at 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m.

Morning subject: "A Grand Old Man." Evening: "No Room for Jesus."

Sunday school, 2.00 p. m.

Epworth League, 6.45 p. m.

Class meetings: Sunday, 9.30 a. m.; Tuesday, 8.00 p. m.

Junior Epworth League, Wednesday, 4.15 p. m.; prayer meeting, 8.00 p. m.

Quarterly Conference, Thursday, 7.45 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor, 7.45 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7.45.

The Ladies of the church will give a baked shad supper on April 23d at 5.30 p. m. Tickets, 25 cents.

ST PAUL'S EPISCOPAL.

Holy Communion, 7.30 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon, 10.30.

Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Evening prayer and sermon, 7.30.

The appointments for the week are: Girls' Friendly Society, Monday, 8 p. m.

Women's Guild, at the residence of Mrs. Bostwick, Tuesday, 3 p. m.

Evening prayer and sermon, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Boys' Club, in parish house, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Men's Club, in parish house, Thursday, 8. p. m.

Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m.

BAPTIST.

On Sunday morning the pastor will preach the first of a series of six sermons on the Twenty-third Psalm.

Sunday school at 2.00 p. m.

Men's Meeting at 4 o'clock to be addressed by Rev. Robert Stanley Bradbrook, pastor-evangelist, late of London, England.

Young Peoples' meeting at 6.45.

Evening service at 7.45. Sermon by pastor and ordinance of baptism.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL.

Morning prayer and sermon, 10.30.

Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Meeting of Daughters of the King at 3.30 p. m.

Evening prayer and sermon, 7.30. Rev. Arthur C. Allen.

Thursday, 7.30 p. m., Young Women's Guild.

Friday, 7.30 p. m., choir rehearsal.

Saturday, 2.30 p. m., sewing school.

Monday, April 18th, at 7.45 p. m., chapter meeting of Daughters of the King. Mrs. W. H. Bown in charge.

The closing exercises for the season of the Mothers' Meeting was held in the parish building, Thursday afternoon. This being entirely a social session, a bountiful lunch was served.

Mrs. David Mulholland entertained the Mothers' Meeting of St. James Parish in fine style, in honor of her birthday, Monday evening, at her home on Lafayette street.

EDDINGTON PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday school with classes for all ages and grades at 9.30 a. m.

Preaching service at 10.45.

Sermon upon "The Law and the Gospel of the Sabbath Day," by the pastor, Rev. T. Clayton Welles.

The subject of the evening service will be "Good Cheer in Dark Days." The leader will be Miss Mabel F. Gettel.

On Monday evening the Sunday School Association will meet with H. H. McCoy, of Croydon.

The Cottage Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Reynolds, of Bridgewater.

CORNWELLS METHODIST.

Prayer service every Wednesday evening.

Sunday services—10.15, prayer service, leader, Brother Charles Foster; 10.45, sermon by the pastor; 2.30, Sunday school; 7.15, Epworth League; 8.00, preaching by the pastor.

A welcome awaits you at all these services.

NEWPORTVILLE UNION CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.

Sunday school for all classes, 2.30.

Prayer and praise service, 3.30.

Evening service will be conducted by Rev. William Van Horn, with song service, 7.30 o'clock.

Everybody will be welcome to attend these services.

The Grand Order Cigar.

Smoke the greatest of all cigars, the Grand Order 5c Cigar. Max Cohen, distributor. 3-18-4t

The Chicago Tribune is showing signs of approaching second childhood. It says there would have been no muck rakers had there been no muck to rake.

Winnipeg City is literally built over a swamp.

LITTLE TARIFF TALKS.

(Responsible articles that have been written by competent authorities and have appeared in print.)

AS TO DUTIES ON LEAD.

The excessive duties in the present law on pig lead, white lead, red lead, orange mineral, the products from which are made the paints that are used to preserve the homes and buildings of the people have been maintained at practically the present rates, when there is conclusive evidence that such duties are far in excess of the difference in cost of production at home and abroad. The duty on pig lead is fixed at $12 50 a ton more than the duty on lead in the ore, while the evidence shows that the entire cost of reducing the lead from ore to pigs does not exceed $8 a ton and the maximum difference in the cost of such reduction in this cost over that in any other country in the world does not exceed $4. Yet in his bill a duty of $12.50 a ton is provided to cover that difference.

It has also been clearly demonstrated that as a result of such excessive duties combinations have been formed by the manufacturers of these articles by which exorbitant prices have been charged the public for lead and lead paints. These high duties and the high prices of the lead paints have resulted in the making of large amounts of paints from cheaper materials, such as barytes. These cheaper paints have become serious competitors with the paints made from the products of the lead trust, and apparently in order to protect the trust further, the duty on crude barytes has been doubled in this bill. It has been increased from about 20 to 40 per cent ad valorem. The maintenance of these high rates is in direct violation of the pledges made the people in the campaign.

Human Life for April.

Human Life has a birthday in April, which it proposes to celebrate in royal style by an issue that is an all-star cast.

The cleverest fool in Christendom so clever that a big New York manager has corralled him for life—is the subject of an enormously interesting story by Rufus H. Gilmore. His adventures line up with those of Sindbad, the Sailor, with the added merit of being all true.

In "The Mystery of Dreyfus" Charles Edward Russell, looking back through a perspective of more than a decade, throws new light on one of the most amazing and momentous happenings in modern history.

Alfred Henry Lewis with this issue closes his series, "Traveling with Taft," with some surprising sidelights on the Utah end of the trip, and the mighty and little understood power of the Mormon in politics.

Leigh Hunt, the man who inoculated Roosevelt with the African hunting bacilli, has had about the most fascinating career a man could have. Read it in this issue.

A wonderful and indispensable cog in the machinery of modern business life is J. K. Turner, and LaVerne A. Barber tells all about him and his work in this issue.

The April issue carries twice the usual number of illustrations, picturing stirring scenes in the great drama of modern life the world over. There are a dozen other departments, all full of unique and varied interest.

HUMAN LIFE PUBLISHING CO., Boston.

A New Advertisement.

You remember when I had the greenhouses I raised pansies for sale. I have the finest assortment now that I ever raised at 50 cents per dozen. Probably you can buy them elsewhere at 35 cents per dozen. I ship them by the hundred at a rate of 36 cents per dozen. Would it look well for me to sell them for 35 cents per dozen, when they net me 36 cents per dozen by the hundred? Cabbage and lettuce plants for sale; tomato, pepper and egg plant plants ready May 1st. I am prepared to make flower beds, dig gardens and take care of lawns in my spare time by the hour. Drop me a card and I will come to see you.

CHARLES MYERS,
517 Pond street, Bristol, Pa.

In Memoriam.

CHERRY—In loving remembrance of Euphemia H. Cherry, wife of John Cherry, who died April 16, 1909.

Weep not that her toils are over,
Weep not that her race is run.
God grant we may rest as calmly,
When our work, like hers, is done.
"Thy loved ones yield with gladness,
Our mother to Him to keep,
And rejoice in the sweet assurance,
"He giveth His loved one sleep."
FAMILY.

No Wonder She's Cross.

The woman who has a thousand petty cares and annoyances while she suffers with headache or sideache must not be blamed if she cannot always be angelically amiable. What she needs is thoughtfulness from her family and such a simple and natural remedy as Lane's Family Medicine, the herb tea that makes weak women strong and well. Sold by druggists and dealers, 25c.

A big elm tree was cut down at Winslow, Pa., a week ago and those who counted the rings in the trunk said that the tree was at least 325 years old.

CUT PRICES
AT THE
CHILDS' CO. STORES

3 lbs. Whole Grain Rice,	10c
Pure Lard, per pound,	16c
"Sweet Bloom" Butter, lb,	38c
3 lbs. Best Rolled Oats,	10c
3 big Cream Chocolate Eggs,	5c
Large Muscatel Raisins, lb.,	5c
Good size Meaty Prunes, lb.,	5c
12c package Buckwheat,	7c
Pure Cider Vinegar, gal.,	13c
Large can solid Tomatoes,	6c
Fancy Pink Salmon, 2 cans,	25c
3 pounds Best Starch,	10c
Childs' Best Flour, bag,	39c
Evaporated Peaches, lb.,	9c
Best Jersey Cranberries, qt.,	4c
Home-made Mince Meat, lb.,	7c

CHILDS' STORES, Mill and Cedar Streets, Bath Street, above Otter, Wood and Dorrance Sts.

Special Sale This Week of Ladies' White Shirt Waists and Children's Dresses.

Men's Black and Tan Hose, 3 prs. 25c

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Finest Varieties of Sweet Peas, 15c. 1-4 lb.
Tall or Dwarf Nasturtiums, 5c. oz.
Lawn Grass, 10c. 1-4 lb.; 15c. 1-2 lb.; 25c. lb.
White Dutch Clover, 35c. lb.
Peas, Bush Beans, Pole Beans, Butter Beans, Bush Limas, Pole Limas, Corn, etc. Anything you require in the way of Flower or Garden Seeds.

MARINE SPECIALTIES:
Special Anti-fouling Composition.
Metallic Copper Paint, Brilliant Green, 90c. qt.
Vernosite Spar, 65c. pint; $1.25 quart; $2.45 1-2 gal.
Marine White, 65c. quart; $1.25 1-2 gal.
Marine Aluminum Bronze, 20c., 30c., 40c.

E. C. ERTHAL
Nos. 123-127 Mill Street,
BRISTOL, PA.

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in all the popular brands and shapes and at reasonable prices. Also a full line of pipes, tobaccos, cigarettes, etc., constantly on hand.

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311 MILL STREET, BRISTOL, PA.

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FOR BRISTOL.

If sold the present owner will take $1000 worth of stock in an opera house company.

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When you feel discouraged, confused, nervous, tired, worried or despondent it is a sure sign you need **MOTT'S NERVERINE PILLS.** They renew the normal vigor and make life worth living. Be sure and ask for

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FABIAN'S PHARMACY
Cor. of Radcliffe and Mulberry Streets

It Requires No Brass Band or Orchestra

to liven up business at our store. The price and the quality of the goods, together with the individual attention given to each order, is the music that makes satisfied customers. Remember that this is a real store where you can get the best of everything in the market at reasonable prices, and as a special inducement to have customers who will continue to trade here, we give Yellow Trading Stamps free with every purchase, which you can exchange for handsome premiums of every description from a Hammock to a Piano.

Singapore Pineapples
New crop just received.
10c can.

Fresh Spring Vegetables and Fruits

Here is a partial list of fresh vegetables and fruits that will tickle the palate:
Asparagus, 25c; celery, 10c; lettuce, 10c; grape fruit, 10c; cucumbers, 10c; oranges, 35c; tomatoes, 20c; Oregon apples, 8c; mushrooms, 35c; radishes, 5c; scullions, 3 for 5c; spinach, 15c.

OLD FASHIONED SYRUP MOLASSES
Drawn from the barrel. Send your can or jug.
15 Cents Quart.

Old-fashioned New Orleans Molasses
Drawn direct from the barrel.
15 Cents Quart.

PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR
12 1-4 lb. bag, 45c.

Dried Apples
Blue ribbon, choicest northern grown,
12c lb.

Apricots
Fancy California fruit, dried in the sun, very choice,
18c lb.

Fruit Jams
Assorted flavors in glass tumblers,
9c.
Tumblers worth 2c.

California Prunes
Meaty, thin-skinned, new fruit,
10c lb.

THESE ARE A FEW OF OUR ATTRACTIVE OFFERS UNTIL NEXT TUESDAY'S CLOSING:

Lowry's Tartan Coffee
This famous brand of coffee is put up in sealed air-tight cans, and is well known as a top-notch coffee in every respect. It has always been sold for 35c a can.
Special Price, 29c lb. can.

Large Can Fine Pears.
Heavy syrup, nice and sweet, 2½ lb. cans,
10c can.

Extra Fine California Peaches
Finest grade of lemon cling peaches, generally sold at 25c can.
Special Price, 20c can.

Fresh Delaware River Shad
We have fresh shad every morning, caught right here at home in the Delaware river. What is better than a delicious roe shad? If you cannot use a whole one we will split it and sell you a half.

TOMATOES
Extra large cans, of fanciest selected Jersey fruit, hand-picked and hand-packed.
10c or 3 cans for 25c

100 Yellow Stamps Free
WITH
1 lb. of English Breakfast Tea, 35c

50 Yellow Stamps Free
WITH
1 lb. of Choice Blend Coffee, 30c

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241-43 MILL ST., BRISTOL

Fresh Country Eggs
29 Cents doz.
These eggs are brought to us every day by near-by farmers and are guaranteed to be absolutely fresh.

Fine Norway Mackerel
Fat and juicy. Nicest mackerel we have handled. Weigh about 1 1-4 lb., 15c apiece; smaller ones,
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These are nice, sweet peas, which we regularly sell for 12c per can.

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Extra fine stringless variety.

Butter
New York State Butter, equal to the best,
37c lb.
Famous Fox River, a print butter,
43c lb.

Chase & Sanborn's Celebrated Coffee

Very Best Mocha and Java, lb.,	32c
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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Look out for the census man. He starts on his inquisitorial route today.

Miss Mary P. Rogers is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Iredell, at Painted Post, N. Y.

A miserable job was made in repairing the crossing at Radcliffe and Franklin streets.

Edward Wietser, of Jefferson avenue, left Bristol on Tuesday to enter the Williamson Trade School.

The Misses Sarah and Lucy Louderbough are spending a week at the Hotel Devonshire, Atlantic City.

The Misses Vanuxem and Campbell, high school teachers, will entertain the graduating class this evening.

A porch is being built across the front of the houses of Roland Hazzard and V. V. Vanzant, 605 and 607 Radcliffe street.

J. Johnson Stone, head fireman on the United States Battleship Tennessee, spent Monday with William M. Renitue on Cedar street.

Augustus Pursell, of Williamsport, Pa., and daughter, Miss Jessie Pursell, are visiting the former's brothers, Dr. Howard and Stacy B. Pursell.

Mrs. Irving Miller, of Penn street, who is suffering with appendicitis, will go to a Philadelphia hospital tomorrow to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Joshua Burton has sold the portion of the lot containing a barn in the rear of her residence on Washington street, to William B. Force.

Mrs. Edward Hulme, of Los Angeles, California, is visiting her father and sister, Joseph Wood and Mrs. Henry Baker, in West Bristol township.

Ernest Lawrence, the retired contractor, who had a slight paralytic stroke last week, is improving and is able to walk about the house with the aid of a cane.

Mrs. Henry Lovett, of Langhorne, entertained at luncheon last Friday the District Primary Sunday School Superintendents. Mrs. George Andrey, of Bristol, was one of the guests.

A special from Mauch Chunk states that sixteen loaded boats left the Coalport wharf for Bristol and other tidewater points, being the earliest that coal has been shipped on the canal for eighteen years.

Edgar Smith, who for over a year has been employed in engineering work in the construction of a railroad in the Amazon river country, Brazil, South America, returned home last Friday coming by the way of England.

One of a valuable team of draft horses recently purchased by Edward M. Peirce, had its leg broken in the stall last Tuesday night by being kicked by its companion in the adjoining stall. The animal had to be killed by Dr. Haines.

The old Beaver Meadow Mansion house opposite the Gazette office recently occupied as an Elks home has been entirely demolished this week, and in its place will rise a handsome edifice to be used for lodge and social purposes by the Elks.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Shores, of New York City, have returned to their home after a two week's visit with relatives and friends in Bristol and vicinity. Mr. Shores is now employed as a brakeman on the New Haven and Hartford railroad.

A baked shad supper for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church will be given in the dining hall of the church on Saturday, April 23, at 5.30 p. m. Besides baked shad there will be an attractive menu. Tickets, 25 cents. There will also be useful and fancy articles for sale.

A number of property owners of the Fourth ward held a meeting last evening in the hose house of the Beaver Fire Company and entered a protest against the closing of some of the streets and alleys of that ward by the embankment of the new elevated line of the Pennsylvania railroad.

The excavations are being made for the erection of ten new brick houses on Pond street by Jonathan S. Wright. They will be two-story, six-room houses. The old frame dwelling along the railroad, formerly occupied by the late George Johns is being torn down to make room for two of the new houses.

George Molden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Molden, of Bath street, who graduated with high honors, having an average of 98, at the Eckels College of Embalming, Philadelphia, has successfully passed the examination of the State Board of Undertakers and has been granted a license to practice undertaking.

A runaway horse caused considerable excitement on Cedar and Radcliffe streets on Sunday afternoon. The horse started from in front of Risley's ice cream parlors and ran up Cedar street to the "pocket" and then down Radcliffe off of Lafayette street. The horse was finally caught at Mill street. No damage was done to either horse or carriage.

William Squier, formerly Pennsylvania railroad freight and passenger agent at Bristol, has moved with his family from Bath street to Stelton, N. J., to which point he has been transferred. Mr. Squier's removal makes another vacancy in the School Board. Moss Louder having resigned at the last meeting owing to the fact of his removal to Piqua, Ohio.

Major Herbert Deakyne, of the Board of United States Army Engineers, had a public hearing yesterday afternoon in the borough council chamber for the consideration and discussion of the establishment of harbor lines by the war department along the Delaware river at and near Bristol. A number of persons were present, who were interested in the work of improving the water front.

Miss Nancy York, daughter of the late Angus York, and John Baldwin, of Chester, were married in Philadelphia last Saturday afternoon at the home of Rev. E. E. Burris, formerly pastor of the Bristol M. E. Church. The bride and groom will reside in Chester, where Mr. Baldwin had prepared a newly furnished home. Mr. Baldwin resided in Bristol for a short time, having had a position here with the Standard Cast Iron Pipe Foundry Company.

Rev. Dr. Henry Haslam, pastor of the Gethsemane Baptist Church, Philadelphia, who has addressed the men's meeting at the Bristol Baptist Church, by request of the Executive Committee of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society and by the unanimous vote of his congregation, has been elected an official delegate to the World's Missionary Conference, which will be held in Edinburg, Scotland, June 14 to 23.

Mrs. Margaret Hannah Hyrons, aged 69 years, died last Friday night at the home of her son, Clarence Hyrons, 337 Cedar street, of angina pectoris. Mrs. Hyrons had been a sufferer for several years with chronic nephritis. She came to Bristol ten or twelve years ago from Wilmington, Del., with her sons, Clarence and Clifford Hyrons, who are experts in the business at the Corona Leather Works. Besides the two sons the deceased is also survived by a daughter, Mrs. Martha Way, of Philadelphia. The body was shipped to Wilmington for interment on Tuesday.

For the third time within a year the dry goods store of Silber Brothers, Dorrance street, between Pond street and the railroad, was entered by burglars early last Friday morning. The glass in the bulk window was broken and the thieves helped themselves to two pairs of trousers, a lady's skirt, several belts and a scarf. Samuel and Benjamin Silber, who reside in the house were awakened about three o'clock by the sound of breaking glass. They rushed down stairs but the intruder, possibly more than one person, had escaped. The police department was notified, but no arrests have been made.

POLICEMEN TO GET MORE PAY

Street Committee Will Rebuild Otter Street. No Slaughter House in Third Ward. Building Inspector Elected. Council Proceedings.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Bristol Borough Council, held on Monday evening, all the members were present except two who are ill—Dr. A. S. Wilson and P. J. Dougherty.

WILL REBUILD OTTER STREET.

The street committee submitted the following report:

"Referring to the application of John H. Wood presented at the last meeting of Council concerning the opening of Inlet street, beg to report that we find this street to have been opened and dedicated for public use extending from its intersection of Beaver Dam Road north at a uniform width of fifty feet to the twenty foot alley one hundred and twenty feet north of Garden street. Beyond this point no development has occurred and the land has not been laid out by its owner or owners.

"It was the intention of your committee at an early date to rebuild Otter street. And in anticipation of this improvement notices are being sent to property owners along that street ordering the resetting of their curbs and the relaying of their gutters in harmony with the established grades of the borough. This work is most necessary on the part of the property owners in order to finish properly the street both as to appearance and use.

"The Trenton, Bristol & Philadelphia Street Railway Company have already gotten in position their ties for the rebuilding of their road in harmony with the borough improvements. The prompt co-operation of property owners with the borough in this Otter street work is earnestly desired by the committee."

POLICE SALARIES INCREASED.

The Police committee in reporting the matter referred to it at the last meeting of the application of the police officers for an increase in their salaries, recommended that the officers' compensation be raised $5 each per month—making the chief's salary $70 and the roundsmen's salaries $60 per month. Council approved the recommendation.

The committee also reported that the officers made seventeen arrests during the month of March, two for burglary, one for horse stealing, one for false pretense, one for fugitive from justice, four for assault and battery, one for nuisance, three for disorderly conduct and four for drunkenness. Nine street lights were reported out during the month, one arc and eight incandescent lamps, and 255 tramps were lodged in the station house.

AGAINST NEW SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

Dr. Abbott, chairman of the Health, Sanitary and Poor committee, reported that the committee, after a conference with the borough attorneys and a thorough consideration of the application for the establishment of another slaughter house in the Third ward, decided negatively on the application. The report was unanimously approved by Council.

BUILDING INSPECTOR ELECTED.

Mr. Strauser reported that the term of the building inspector had expired and moved that Council elect a successor to Charles S. Wollard, the incumbent. Mr. Wollard was the only nominee and the clerk cast the ballot for Mr. Wollard.

FIRE COMPANY WANTS MORE MONEY.

A petition was read by the clerk from the Beaver Fire Company, No. 4, asking that the annual appropriation of $50 to the company be increased to $100. The communication stated that the present appropriation is not sufficient to cover the cost of heat and light for the hose house. The matter was referred to the committee on Fire Protection.

HEALTH BOARD SUGGESTS A SANE FOURTH.

The following communication from the President of the Board of Health was referred to the Police committee:

"At a meeting of the Board of Health this evening I was requested to suggest to Council if in their judgment it would be desirable to take some action to prevent the use or abuse of firearms and explosives on July 4th. Every year at this period we have numerous injuries and have had fatalities, directly traceable to the unrestrained use of dangerous agents. Even if no wounds were made the noises produced are most detrimental to the sick and enfeebled."

CONTRACT WITH TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Mr. Buckley reported that the electric light at the canal and Jefferson avenue had not been burning for a week.

Mr. Buckley stated that the five-year contract between the Bell Telephone Company and the borough for the telephone police signal system had about expired, and asked Council that the same contract be endorsed for another period of five years. Mr. Buckley said he had been in communication with a representative of the Bell Company and he had also consulted with the borough attorneys in regard to the matter and believed that the best interests of the borough would be served by renewing the contract. The matter was referred to report at the next meeting.

TO FIX TAX RATE.

Upon motion of Mr. Wright the matter of fixing the borough tax rate and apportioning the appropriations were referred to the Finance and Public Property committee to report at the May meeting.

WHARF IN DANGEROUS CONDITION.

Mr. Rathke reported that the Mill street wharf is in need of repairs and is in a dangerous condition and whether it is the borough's or the boat company's place to make the repairs, it should be done at once, as the season is approaching when a great many people visit that wharf. Referred to the Finance and Public Property committee.

COUNCIL CHAMBER UNSANITARY.

Mr. Rathke addressed council stating that house cleaning time is at hand, and that the council chamber was badly in need of a thorough cleansing. He stated that the Sanitary committee could do no better work than conduct an onslaught on the germs that undoubtedly infest the borough's legislative hall. Mr. Rathke's pronunciamento was to take up the carpets upon which was an accumulation of tobacco extract; put new paper on the walls, etc. The matter was referred to the Finance and Public Property committee with power to act.

WANTS TO ERECT AWNING.

Mr. Spring made application for permission to be granted to Edward M. Peirce to erect an awning in front of one of his new houses on Lincoln avenue, below Wood street. Referred to Street committee with power to act.

BILLS PASSED.

The clerk read the following bills and orders were ordered drawn for their payment:

Watson Ptg. Co., ptg.,	$ 8 00
Intelligencer Co., adv.,	24 75
G. W. Headley, hauling,	1 50
Bell Telephone Co., police s't'm,	27 00
Police salaries,	345 00
J. M. Barton, carpentering,	11 51
Street Com. pay roll,	8 75
W. F. Leedom, coal,	9 50
C. H. Bunting, hauling fire truck,	8 00
F. W. Pope, supplies,	80
B. E. L. & P. Co., street lighting,	399 91
D. Nell, collecting garbage,	70 00
H. H. H. Poole, clerk salary,	37 50

Opening of Base Ball Season.

The season for the Bristol Base Ball Club will open on Sunday, May 1st, when in all probability Riverside will be the opponents of the local team.

The new grounds of the Bristol club have been placed in good condition, near the old grounds at Persimmon park and practically last year's team has been signed for the coming season, with the addition of one or two new players.

Rev. Johnston to Lecture at Bridgewater.

A lecture will be given in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Bridgewater, on Saturday evening, April 30, by Rev. W. T. Johnston, of Bristol. His subject will be "Ups and Downs of Life, or Seeing the World Through a Knot Hole." The proceeds will be for the benefit of the grave yard wall fund of the Bensalem Methodist Church. Admission 25 cents. Mr. Johnston is a well known speaker and a pleasant evening is promised. At the close of the lecture there will be a sale of home-made candy.

Knights of Friendship Visitations.

A big time among Knights of Friendships will be the reception given to the Grand Officers by the combined Chambers of Trenton, Saturday evening, 16th inst. The members of Martha Washington Chamber, No. 2, are all invited to take part.

All companions will meet at Reading depot, N. Warren street, Trenton, at 8 p. m. sharp.

The Bristol members will take the 6.45 p. m. trolley car.

The meeting of the combined chambers and reception to the Grand Officers will be held at Liederkranz Hall, S. Clinton avenue.

The Grand Officers will visit Bristol Chamber, April 20. All the members of the local lodge are urged to be present. A committee of arrangements and entertainment, with W. A. Bradley as chairman, has been appointed for the occasion.

Jacob Winder Has Another Filly.

Jacob M. Winder, of Bristol, owner of the famous racing filly, "Maggie Winder," received word on Tuesday, that "Clara Direct," the mother of "Maggie Winder," had given birth to another filly on Monday at the A. B. Cox stock farm at Newtown Square, Pa. The sire of the new filly is Zombro, considered by horsemen as the finest appearing stallion in the country. Mr. Winder now owns three colts by "Clara Direct."—"Maggie Winder," by Oratorio; "Hilda," by Sidney Dillon and the new arrival by Zombro.

Mr. Winder has high hopes that "Maggie Winder," the sensational pacer will do wonders this year as a 4-year-old and believes some records will be broken this season. The little mare will be entered in all the 2.06 and 2.07 classes from Grand Rapids to Lexington. Her first race will be at Grand Rapids, in the 2.06 pacing division on July 19, for a $5000 purse.

She is in the Nutmeg $5000, at Hartford, on Labor Day; The King, at Columbus and The Tennessee, at Lexington. Mr. Winder also states that it is more than likely that the mare will be entered in the $5000, 2.05 pace, the second week, at Columbus. If so, she will go against George Gano, 2.04 1-4, by Gabetta Wilkes. Driver Jones says Maggie can beat Gano if he cannot go better than 1.58.

Fire Company Anniversary.

On Thursday night of last week the Bristol Fire Company, No. 1, the oldest fire company in the borough, celebrated the fifty-third anniversary of its formation.

The annual election took place and the following were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Thomas Scott.
Secretary, W. H. H. Fine, Jr.
Assistant secretary, Robert Clark.
Treasurer, Melvin E. Jeffries.
Foreman, Walter Moore.
Assistant foreman, W. Wilson.
Engineer, Norwood P. Chase.
First assistant, Frank Jackson.
Second assistant, C. E. Scott.
Third assistant, Raymond Updyke.
Trustees, Franklin Gilkeson, Robert P. Bruden, Albert Loechner, Alvin Leach and George Ahlee.

One of the pleasant features of the occasion was an informal address by William Sulger, of Trenton, formerly of Bristol, the oldest living charter member of the company. Mr. Sulger, who is about eighty years old, recalled the incidents in the early history of the company and complimented the members on the splendid progress made in making the company an up-to-date fire organization. He told of the many interesting tales of some of the fires fought years ago when a hand engine was the principal machine for getting water out to a fire. He presented the company with a picture of himself and made a contribution to the fund for the purchase of an automobile wagon. President Scott accepted the gifts.

Sold an Alleged Balky Horse.

'Squire Kraft's office was crowded with a delegation of witnesses and principals in a suit brought by Thomas Kildea on Tuesday evening, against Clinton Davis, a huckster, of Langhorne, to recover the purchase price of an alleged balky horse for which Kildea paid $125 to Davis. Each side had ten or twelve witnesses. The former alleged that Davis represented the horse in question to be nine years old, sound, and would work anywhere. Witnesses testified that the horse while in Kildea's possession would not work anywhere, to the plow or to a cart and balked and threw Mrs. Kildea out of the carriage when driven. Mr. Kildea stated the agreement with Davis was that any time within a month, if the horse was not satisfactory, he would take it back and return the purchase money but although he had repeatedly requested Davis to take the horse back the latter refused to do so.

Joseph Broadhurst, Esq., of Langhorne, acted as counsel for the defendant while John C. Stuckert, Esq., of Bristol, represented Kildea.

After hearing the testimony of witnesses and the argument of the lawyers, 'Squire Kraft rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff.

It developed during the hearing that the contract for the sale of the horse and the payment therefore was made on Sunday, but the justice assumed that the contract was not really consummated until the month during which the horse was to be tried had expired.

Chain of Sunday Sunday Rallies.

A chain of Sunday school rallies has started which will extend from one end of Bucks county to the other. These rallies are being held under the direction of the Bucks County Sabbath School Association. The first meeting was held Wednesday evening at the Lahaska M. E. Church, when the speakers were Rev. O. J. Randall, of Tullytown, and J. Howard Gerhart, of Telford.

Last evening the meeting was held in the Fifth district at Eddington. The speakers were Rev. Randall and Rev. B. F. Paiste, Jr., of Langhorne.

Other rallies will be held as follows:

April 15—Sixth District, Beckwith M. E. Church, Doylestown; speakers, the Rev. C. F. Kulp and John B. Swartz, of Perkasie.

April 16—Second District, Pipersville Chapel; speakers, the Rev. C. B. Weaver, Ferndale and John B. Swartz, of Perkasie.

April 19—First District, Riegelsville Lutheran Church; speakers, the Rev. J. N. Faust, Richlandtown, and John B. Swartz, of Perkasie.

April 20—Fourth District, Churchville Reformed Church; speakers, the Rev. O. J. Randall and J. Howard Gerhart.

April 21—Seventh District, First Reformed Church, Quakertown; speaker, the Rev. G. L. Schaeffer, Doylestown, and the Rev. E. S. Noll, of Perkasie.

Conferences will be held in connection with the meetings.

For a Sweet Tooth or a Sweetheart

try Schuatt's delicious chocolates next time you want something good, 39 cents pound box. Bon bons and chocolates, 60 cents pound box. Sold at Fabian's Pharmacy, Radcliffe and Mulberry streets.

IMPORTANT RUMORS

Reports Are Circulated that the New Station Will be Located on Beaver Dam Road and that Borough Will Build Water Works.

The air has been full of rumors this week. The visitation of a number of railroad officials who were driven about town in cabs in company with Joseph R. Grundy, has started the report that the mooted question of the site for the new railroad passenger station has been settled and that it has been decided to locate it at the corner of Garden street and the Beaver Dam road; that the Beaver Dam road will be widened ten feet, graded and paved; and that the hill leading to the bridge over the canal, between Canal and Buckley streets, is to be cut down and a swing bridge placed on the street level.

Another rumor, which is important, if true, is that conferences are being held by leading councilmen, preparatory to taking up the work of building a new municipal water works system, in accordance with the authority granted council at a special election several years ago.

The Gazette has had no opportunity to verify these rumors, and they may or may not have any foundation in fact, but, nevertheless, the reports to the above effect are current.

AN HISTORIC WALK

Dr. C. C. Abbott Describes a Little Journey to Morrisville.

Dr. C. C. Abbott, of Trenton, N. J., formerly a resident of Bristol, and an uncle of Dr. J. de B. Abbott, of this place, is contributing to the Trenton Sunday Advertiser a series of articles entitled "Historic Walks out of Trenton."

One of the recent articles published concern a walk to Morrisville, which is as follows:

"It is excellent advice not to attempt to cross bridges before you get to them, and it is equally wise not to hurry over them if they are not in danger of collapse. The bed of a stream is an undiscovered country to most people. No one has ever seen the bed of the Delaware without some water in it, and there is always a good deal worth seeing in the water. So, in crossing over the Calhoun street bridge do not be in a hurry. Not only look up and down the river, but into the water. Watch the graceful waving of the pond weed; think of the gradual wearing away of the rocks, for sand and water do their work effectively, if slowly. Note how many a rock is now smooth and free of all angles. It was not so when they were pushed up from the depths of the earth, or were transported by icefields from the mountains far away. A river is always something more than running water.

"Somewhere between the two bridges, looking down the river, Mahlon Stacy went a-fishing in what would now be an illegal fashion. He and his companions "made a round pin-fold. * * * but left a gap for the fish to go in at." What they caught "filled a three-bushel sack." Herring and shad are still to be caught, in season, but the beauty of the river's shores has vanished. It is pleasant, however, to know that the same irregular ridge of rock that shuts out the tide and makes the "ffalles" that colonists wrote of, is quite the same as when the Swedes and Dutch wandered this way and settled in the neighborhood. Before them the Indians were fond of the place, and made it a central point from which their trails or paths extended in several directions. It was here, too, that the Durham boats found out that all was not plain sailing if the water was vexatiously low.

"At the Pennsylvania end of the bridge we are in a new country. It is all very different from our side of the river; so different that the botanist finds growths that are not suited to our Jersey sands. The high ground suggests a town site, but all is marred by a canal that, picturesque in itself, is a sad interference in more ways than one. Following it or the road 'twixt it and the river, going eastward, we come to the old village of Morrisville. Some old stone houses attest its age, but no outstanding landmark proclaims that it once had some prominence in public affairs. It escaped being the capital of the United States. It was looked upon with favor by Robert Morris, of financial renown, and he liked to live here when summer days were warm and long. General Moreau, too, thought it pretty enough to build a stately house here, overlooking the river, but nothing of promised greatness ever stuck and for nearly two centuries the town stood very still. No one now is likely to grow wildly excited while walking through the place, and having seen two or three old houses and the canal, which does more business in a day than does ours in a week, it is pleasant to look towards Jersey again, and cross the river by the lower bridge—the old bridge—as it is known, but not really the structure erected in 1804, accurate pictures of which are to be seen on the old notes of the Trenton Banking Company.

"Looking down into the water from this bridge there is this difference, as compared with the conditions at the upper bridge, it is affected by the tide. There is an alternating up-stream, as well as down-stream flow, but it is not so noticeable as a mile or two beyond, where the shores are covered and uncovered alternately, and are so suggestive to the naturalist. Here, at the lower bridge, we have the dividing line between the tidal and no-tidal portions of the river, and the difference is as great, almost, as between two countries separated by a sea.

Morrisville Pastor Resigns.

Rev. E. T. Ferry, pastor of the Morrisville Presbyterian Church, announced to his congregation, before they voted on his resignation, that he had decided to retire from the ministry in order to engage in business in Indianapolis, where his and Mrs. Ferry's relatives reside.

Mr. Ferry tendered his resignation on the 4th inst, which was laid over until the 11th, when a congregational meeting was called for the purpose of acting upon it. It was hoped by many of the congregation that the pastor would reconsider his determination to resign, but he created surprise by his statement to retire from the ministry, temporarily at least.

Mr. Ferry announced that he would continue his ecclesiastical relations with the Presbytery of Philadelphia North.

A Birthday Party.

A birthday party was given at the home of Hugh Hill, "Magnolia," on Saturday evening last in honor of Miss Helen Hill's birthday anniversary. The house was very prettily decorated with carnations and daffodils, and the evening was pleasantly spent in playing games, music and singing. Miss Hill received many beautiful presents.

After enjoying themselves the guests were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour after wishing Miss Hill many more happy birthdays.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, Miss Ethel Hill, Cora Heisel, Kathryn Baker, Helen Hill, Mary Baker, Edith Heisel, of Bristol; Misses Mae Hill, Minnie Schade and Gertrude Schreader, of Frankford; Messrs. Walter Hill, Ernest Hellings, Elwood Minster, Edward Laing, Merton Hellings, Elmer Houser and Charles Carter, of Bristol; Messrs. William Lacey and Albert Pray, of Frankford.

Pure Food Confections.

Our 39 cent confections are the most delicious sweets it is possible to make. Remember the name, Schuatt's, sold only at Fabian's Pharmacy, Radcliffe and Mulberry street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Levi Lukens has resigned his position as clerk at Martin's drug store.

Frank G. Risley has sold his restaurant fixtures to Joshua Townsend.

Edward B. Betz, is confined to his home on Washington street, with illness.

John McIlvain, Jr., has obtained a position as clerk at an Atlantic City hotel.

Warren G. Armstrong has sold his property, 352 Dorrance street to Lyndall Acker.

A neck-tie dance will be given in St. Marks hall on Wednesday evening, April 27.

Miss Mary Kessler spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Blundin, Lower Makefield.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Runyon, 709 Radcliffe street, on Wednesday afternoon, April 20.

Captain George Jarvis, of the schooner, "Margaret May," was calling on relatives on Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. Armstrong, of Wayne, Pa., preached last Sunday morning and evening at St. Paul's Church.

Twenty-two new candidates were initiated into the order of Owls at Mohican hall on Tuesday evening.

James Daniels, who was employed by Samuel Scott, in the fish business, has taken a position with Walter F. Leedom.

The Bucks County Historical Society will meet at Friends Meeting House, corner Market and Wood streets, on May 24.

Richard, the year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mauer, Jr., was buried at the Bristol cemetery last Friday. The child died on the 5th inst.

Charles E. Scheide, of New York, formerly of Bristol, has presented the Bristol library with about twenty new volumes of miscellaneous reading.

Yesterday Mulligan & Brady opened their new store at the corner of Jefferson avenue and Wood streets. The new store will be in charge of Arthur Brady.

The trustees of the Presbyterian Church and the members of the Finance committee met at the home of Mrs. George W. Strauser on Monday evening.

Miss Frances Scott, daughter of William Scott, a former Bristolian, who died in Philadelphia on Friday, was buried in St. James Church yard on Monday.

James V. Archer, the Mill street wholesale liquor dealer, has a handsome new delivery wagon. John P. Betz, the milk man will soon be seen with his wagon done up in attractive new paint.

William Brogden was arrested on Monday afternoon by Officer Bloodgood on a warrant sworn by Carrie Derry, of Morrisville, charging him with adultery. At a hearing before 'Squire Kraft he was held in $200 bail.

Andrew Jackson Gilkeson, aged 66 years and six months, died at his home on Bath street, last Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Death was due to pulmonary tuberculosis. The funeral was held from the deceased's late residence yesterday. Interment at Bristol Cemetery.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Bristol postoffice, for week ending April 15: Dr. Mrs. Adams, John R. Canning, Cris Carie, Gertrude Graves, Mrs. George Gould, John Kapourlos, Ruth Michael, Ada Scott, Ella Still, Mrs. Smith, Kimon Fiantafilopulos, Giovanni Mascarino.

Miss Maggie Michener, of Philadelphia, formerly of Bristol, an expert hosiery worker, has invented a sewing machine attachment which greatly facilitates the work. She brought the model to Bristol to be photographed by her nephew, former councilman William L. Johnson, preparatory to the application for a patent.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Holt celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary at their residence, 200 Otter street, Bristol, on Saturday evening. A large number of their friends from Trenton attended. The Bristol Social also contributed a serenade. Mr. and Mrs. Holt were married March 31st, 1900, in Trenton, by the late Rev. Dr. Knight, and have lived since in Bristol.

The employes at the passenger and freight railroad station called at the home of William Squier, on Bath street, last Friday evening and tendered him a surprise and presented him with a handsome Masonic emblem. Mr. Squier, who has been transferred to Stelton, N. J., expects to be given the agency at Metuchen, N. J., this summer.

Caught With the Scissors.

The cigarette was introduced into England sixty years ago.

The fishing industry of this country is said to be the most valuable in the world.

There are 270 active volcanoes in the world, but a large share of them are very small.

The biggest cornstalks and the greatest ears known are found in the Province of Jala, Mexico

Asbestos was not used to any extent in a commercial way until the middle of the nineteenth century.

With Easter passed some are wondering just why the candy eggs were cheaper than the real ones.

Austria is the country most lenient to murderers. A very small percentage of those convicted are executed.

The Portugese three-reis piece, worth 6-100th of a cent is the smallest metal coin circulation at the present time.

A two-thousand-year-old oak tree stands near Dax, France, the branches of which will shelter five hundred persons.

It has been shown that more fish can be caught in a net dyed a slight blue color than in those of the traditional brown tone.

Reports of a damaged wheat crop are coming in from the West. This means that the news of the failure of the Georgia peach crop is about due.

A man has been fined $10 for swearing in the New York subway. He would doubtless have gotten off lighter had he been above ground about it.

The trustees of columbia are planning to spend $3,000,000 to make the college of physicians and surgeons the greatest medical school in the world.

One of the leading opticians in England has published a statement that the English board of trade yarn test for color blindness is not in the least reliable.

France now claims the oldest editor in the world in M de Molinari of the Journal Des Economistes. He is 91 and very active in the office, writing many of the leaders.

Feed Prices.

Highest Grade Oats,	$ .55
Cracked Corn,	1.55
Bran,	1.40

All feeds proportionately low.

W. F. LEEDOM.

Pansies! Pansies!

Geraniums, heliorope, scarlet sage, fuschias, double and single petunias, rose and ivy geraniums, ageratum, cannas, vincas, pansies, daisies, sweet alyssium, nasturtiums, verbenas, parlor ivy, etc. Hanging baskets, vases and window boxes filled. Palms and ferns, roses and carnations. Gold fish, sweet pea seed, early cabbage plants.

CHAMBERS' FLOWER STORE,

Phone 22x. 223 Market street, Bristol.

Don't be Misled.

Many a life has been cut short by a cough that was not believed to be serious. Many a backache and sideache follows a coughing spell. Many a night is passed in restlessness caused by coughing. Many a cough "cure" that never cures is tried. Do not be misled. If you cough, take the old reliable Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure. At druggists' and dealers', 25c.

VALENTINE BEVAN'S BODY FOUND IN THE RIVER

Disappeared Two Months Ago and on Last Friday the Corpse was Found on the Burlington Shore.

Just about eight weeks after he mysteriously disappeared from Bristol, on Saturday night, February 12, the body of Valentine Bevan, a well known resident of this borough, was found last Friday morning where it was washed ashore on the Burlington bank of the Delaware river near the Devlin iron works at the lower end of the city.

Ralph Shinn, a milk man, was driving along the river road in Burlington, early Friday morning when he saw the corpse of a man in the water, half washed ashore, lying face down. Shinn investigated and pulled the corpse ashore. It was in a fearfully decomposed condition, the head being swollen to nearly twice its normal size. The police were summoned and the body was turned over to the Burlington county coroner.

The Bristol authorities were notified as the drowned man wore a badge of the Bristol fire police, and Willard Bevan, the son, soon identified the remains.

On the night of February 12, Valentine Bevan was last seen as he left a hotel on Radcliffe street at about 11 o'clock. When he did not appear at the home of his son on Washington street, with whom Mr. Bevan resided, considerable alarm was felt and on Sunday a search was instituted which was vigorously prosecuted for over a week without obtaining any trace of the missing man. The police departments of Burlington, Camden, Philadelphia, Atlantic City and other places were notified but no information was received until the dead body was found last Friday.

Deputy Coroner Rue, of Bristol, took charge of the body and brought it here. Three dollars were found in the pockets of the dead man's clothes and also two bags of peanuts. Mr. Bevan was always in the habit of taking peanuts home to his grand children on Saturday nights.

The general supposition is that Bevan, after he left the hotel, where he had been drinking with some companions, wandered down to the boat wharf and in the darkness fell overboard.

The deceased was 68 years old and is survived by one son, Willard Bevan. He was employed at the Bristol Patent Leather Works.

The body was interred on Saturday at the Bristol Cemetery.

Londoner to Address Men's Meeting.

On Sunday afternoon at four o'clock Rev. Robert Stanley Bradbrook, late of London, England, will address the Men's Meeting at the Bristol Baptist Church. Messrs. Robinson and Donahue, the boy duettists, will sing.

Rev. Robert Stanley Bradbrook.

For twenty years Mr. Bradbrook has been an evangelist, seven of which he was a successful London pastor. He is a powerful advocate of the gospel and of temperance.

Reaping the Whirlwind.

Wall Street Journal.

When the Republican party last year kept its tariff promise to the ear only, achieving a result which the beneficiaries fondly hoped might stand for another 10 years, almost every reputable newspaper in the United States pointed out that it was taking dangerous chances. Such criticism was unavailing. The interest of the Rhode Island woolen manufacturers weighed more than that of all the people of the United States. The tariff passed into law and, with a fatuity which would be ludicrous if it were not so exasperating, we were defiantly asked what we were going to do about it?

That question is being answered, as it always has been answered sooner or later in this country. The time comes when American people take a day off to squelch their Cannons and Aldriches, and they usually make a thorough job of it. The first muttering of the coming storm is audible. The result of the congressional election in the 14th district of Massachusetts is the most deliberate and explicit comment upon the Payne-Aldrich tariff that has yet been heard. It is in a form which the most venal politician can understand. The electorate is out of hand, and there is every probability that at the coming congressional election all the money of the protected manufacturers of cottons and woolens will be unavailing, because the politicians will be unable to "deliver the goods."

Doubtless President Taft is doing his best, but that best does not seem to be meeting with any enthusiastic appreciation. No part of the country is more interested in Canadian reciprocity than New England, and here is the New England criticism on the outrageous position in which the maximum and minimum clauses of last year's tariff measure have put us.

Of all the devices of greed framed in that indenture of Republican suicide, these were the meanest and worst. We were put in the position of bulldozing our best customers, and all the diplomacy of the president and the governor-general avails nothing to restore a tolerable basis of exchange.

Congress has done little enough work this session, but it has yet time to knock a little sense into the heads of the standpatters. Our relations with our neighbors can at least be restored to a condition of decency by a few reasonable amendments, pending a real downward revision of the tariff. Party policies so far have developed little of real value to the industry or commerce of the country and much of risk. There is yet time for Mr. Taft to restore his seriously weakened prestige and he will probably not find his followers quite so ready as they were last year to snap their fingers in the face of the American people.

A Correction.

Editor Gazette: I wish to correct an error in last week's issue. The pupils of Laurel Bend School were present everyday during the seventh month and not seven months as printed. No pupil has been so fortunate as to attend 140 successive days.

M. M. MALCOLM,
Teacher.

Letter to William E. Deron.

Bristol, Pa.

Dear Sir: Here's the concentrated fact:

Every job painted Devoe takes less gallons than of any other paint.

And the paint that takes least gallons, wears longest; Always. We can't help it.

Yours truly

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Boys and Young Men Wanted, to learn useful trades: Machinists, Draughting, Iron, Steel and Brass Moulding, Die-Sinking, Pattern-Making, etc.

Applicants must be at least sixteen years old.

Apply in person or by letter to "Overseer of Apprentices, Bethlehem Steel Company, South Bethlehem, Penna." 4-15-5t

$25.00 Reward.

Twenty-five Dollars will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest of the person who fired the leaves and brush and damaging the trees in front of my place on road from Croydon to Newportville.

4-8-2t T. C. NEGUS.

THE

Bristol Building Association

will issue a new series of stock for borrowers and free shareholders. First payment to be made on Monday, May 2, 1910. This will be an elegant opportunity to secure some shares in the building association and buy a property. You might as well own a home as to be paying rent all your life. Those desiring to secure shares will give their names to the secretary before the above-mentioned date as there will be a limited number of shares issued.

4-15-3t FRANKLIN GILKESON, Secretary.

Snowflake.

The Snowflake Season is Here. Buy from the biggest manufacturer

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Made with pure Pocono Ice and the very best ingredients.

20 Cents per Quart.

Parties and excursions supplied.

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P. J. Callahan, Buckley street.
Walter Beaumont, Lafayette and Pear Sts.
James Christopher, Penn and Wood Sts.
John Manze, Wood street, next to Colonial Theatre.
Wm. Hassenplug, Bridgewater.
Roy Munday, Tullytown. 4-15-1f

Sale of

SURPLUS STOCK

BEGINS

This Week:

Pictures reduced from 50c to 25c
Pictures " " 25c to 12½c
Henty and Alger Books, 19c
Children's reg 15c Lace Hose, black and white, 3 prs. for 25c
Table Linen, was 75c, now 60c
15c & 10c Cotton Voile, now 5c
25c Imported Ginghams, now 15c
$1.00 P. N. Corsets, now 50c

A few discontinued styles.

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"THE HOUSEKEEPER'S BEST FRIEND."

The Regina Pneumatic Cleaner, as its name indicates, is a machine for cleaning carpets, rugs, hardwood floors, curtains, draperies, walls and upholstered furniture by the vacuum process. It is simple but substantial in construction, and thoroughly practical and efficient in operation.

It is so easy to manipulate that the strength of a ten-year-old child is sufficient for the task. It removes every particle of dust and dirt, not only from the surface but also from the body of the fabric, and it does this without raising any dust. It thoroughly renovates carpets, rugs, curtains and upholstered furniture without the necessity of removing them from the house, and it does this so quickly, easily, and well that to use it becomes a pleasure.

This cleaner weighs but 25 lbs. and is easily carried in one hand. It occupies small space when not in use and does the same work as other vacuum cleaners costing several times as much. It is 26 inches long, 12 inches wide and 13 inches high, not including the handle. All exposed metal parts are finished with enamel or are nickel plated, and the machine is mounted on a nicely-finished hardwood base. The hose is of a superior grade of rubber and is nine feet long, this having been found to be the most convenient length for all ordinary purposes.

PRICE, $25.00.

Will Rent Machine for $1 Per Day.

H. McGinley,

623 Pine Street, Bristol, Pa.

4-8-4t

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Farmers National Bank of Bucks Co.

At Bristol, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 29th, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$582,577.73
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		80,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		421,935.40
Banking house, furniture & fixtures		5,000.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		3,164.51
Due from approved reserve agents		79,879.17
Checks and other cash items		545.54
Notes of other National Banks		3,240.00
Nickels and cents		303.07
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK VIZ		
Specie	$59,018.00	
Legal tender notes	3,480.00	62,498.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer,		2,000.00
Total		$1,203,203.42

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 92,220.00
Surplus fund	205,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	41,472.21
National Bank notes outstanding	35,500.00
Due to other National Banks	37,024.86
Dividends unpaid	213 00
Individual deposits subject to check	791,146.09
Certified checks	26.64
Total	$1,203,203.42

State of Penna., County of Bucks, ss

I, Charles E. Scott, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES E. SCOTT, Cashier.

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 1st day of April, 1910

W. H. BOOZ, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

BENJ. J. TAYLOR,
HARVEY H. GILLAM, } Directors.
JOSEPH R. GRUNDY, }

4-8-3t

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WE WILL HAVE OUR USUAL

Complete Assortment of styles

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SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for half a cent a word. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 824 Radcliffe street.

WANTED—Two men boarders at 310 Jefferson avenue. 4-15-2t

WANTED—Half-grown girl. Apply at 330 Cedar street. 4-15-1f

WANTED—A dentist wants to rent one or two rooms on Radcliffe or Mill street. Address "A." Gazette office

WANTED — Blacksmith. Experienced man for all 'round smith work in factory. Good wages and steady employment to the right man. Apply Heebner & Sons, Lansdale, Pa. 4-15-3t

WANTED—Local representative to sell men's clothing on credit by largest credit clothing house in the world; no capital required; write for plan. Menter & Rosenbloom Co., 600 Cox Bldg., Rochester, N. Y. 4-8-4t

LAUNDRY—Ladies' waists and white dresses. Family wash wanted for Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. A. Johnson, 436 Pond street. 4-15-2t

FOR SALE—20,000 Asparagus Roots, by David W. Reed, near Tullytown. This seed was selected from a bed down Jersey, of very large grass. 4-8-2t

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, one mile above Emilie, on Oxford Valley road. Charles Demmler. 4-8-3t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping or storage, on Mill street. Apply to Mrs. E. D. Hay, 303 Penn street. 4-8-4t

FOR SALE—Forty (40) bath houses at Burlington Island Park. Death and sickness the cause. Address 3328 Howard street, Philadelphia. 4-1-4t

FOR SALE—Cigar, candy and tobacco store for sale. Good business place, is well located and well established. Good reason for selling. Apply Pear and Lafayette streets. 4-1-1f

FOR SALE—A 3-story frame dwelling at 230 Buckley street, Bristol, Pa., containing 9 rooms, with modern conveniences. Hot and cold water, range, hot-air heater and bath. Apply to C. A. Wilson 210 Radcliffe street, Bristol, Pa. 4-1-tf

FOR SALE—Cedar tank, 6 feet by 4 feet by 10 feet, in good condition, cheap. D'Olier Engineering Company, 119 South 11th street, Philadelphia. 4-1-3t

FOR SALE—A Carriage Phaeton, also a wagon for bread delivery. Will sell cheap. 609 Bath street, Bristol. 3-25-4t

EGGS FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock and Wyandotte eggs from prize-winning stock at Bristol poultry show. $1.50 per sitting, $7 per 100. John A. McGinley, Bristol. 2-25-1f

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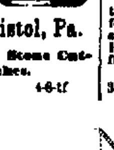

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FROM THE CABBY'S SEAT.

Tale of a Brief Wedding Trip With a Joke on the Groom.

By O. HENRY.

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The cabby has his point of view. It is more single minded perhaps than that of a follower of any other calling.

From the high, swaying seat of his hansom he looks upon his fellow men as nomadic particles of no account except when possessed of migratory desires. He is jehu, and you are goods in transit. He is you president or vagabond, to cabby you are only a fare.

He takes you up, cracks his whip, joggles your vertebræ and sets you down.

When time for payment arrives, if you exhibit a familiarity with legal rates you come to know what contempt is; if you find that you have left your pocketbook behind, you are made to realize the fullness of Dante's imagination.

It is not an extravagant theory that the cabby's singleness of purpose and concentrated view of life are the results of the hansom's peculiar construction.

The cock of the roost sits aloft like Jupiter on an unbearable seat, holding

"STEP IN, LADY," SAID JERRY.

your fate between two thongs of inconstant leather. Helpless, ridiculous confined, bobbing like a toy mandarin, you sit like a rat in a trap—you, before whom butlers cringe on solid land—and must squeak upward through a slit in your peripateric sarcophagus to make your feeble wishes known.

Then in a cab you are not even an occupant; you are contents. You are a cargo at sea, and the "cherub that sits up aloft" has Divy Jones' street and number by heart.

One night there were sounds of revelry in the big brick tenement house next door but one to McGary's family cafe. The sounds seemed to emanate from the apartments of the Walsh family.

The sidewalk was obstructed by an assortment of interested neighbors, who opened a lane from time to time for a hurrying messenger bearing from McGary's goods pertinent to festivity and diversion.

The sidewalk contingent was engaged in comment and discussion, from which it made no effort to eliminate the news that Norah Walsh was being married.

In the fullness of time there was an eruption of the merrymakers to the sidewalk. The uninvited guests enveloped and permeated them, and upon the night air rose joyous cries, congratulations, laughter and unclassified noises born of McGary's oblations to the hymeneal scene.

Close to the curb stood Jerry O'Donovan's cab. Nighthawk was Jerry called but no more lustrous or cleaner hansom than his ever closed its doors upon point lace and November Violets. And Jerry's horse—I am within bounds when I tell you that he was stuffed with oats until one of those old ladies who leave their dishes unwashed at home and go about having expressmen arrested would have smiled—yes, smiled—to see him.

Among the shifting, sonorous, pulsing crowd glimpses could be had of Jerry's high hat, battered by the winds and rains of many years; of his nose, like a carrot, battered by the frolicsome, athletic progeny of millionaires and by contumacious fares; of his brass buttoned green coat, admired in the vicinity of McGary's.

It was plain that Jerry had usurped the functions of his cab and was carrying a "load."

Indeed, the figure may be extended and he be likened to a broad wagon if we admit the testimony of a youthful spectator who was heard to remark, "Jerry has got a bun."

From somewhere among the throng in the street or else out of the thin stream of pedestrians a young woman tripped and stood by the cab. The professional hawk's eye of Jerry caught the movement. He made a lurch for the cab, overturning three or four onlookers and himself—no; he caught the cap of a water plug and kept his feet. Like a sailor shinning up the rattlines during a squall Jerry mounted to his professional seat. Once he was there McGary's liquids were baffled. He seesawed on the mizzenmast of his craft as safe as a steeplejack rigged to the flagpole of a skyscraper.

"Step in, lady," said Jerry, gathering his lines.

The young woman stepped into the cab, the doors shut with a bang, Jerry's whip cracked in the air, the crowd in the gutter scattered, and the fine hansom dashed away crosstown.

When the out spry horse had hedged a little his first spurt of speed Jerry broke the lid of his cab and called down through the aperture in the voice of a cracked megaphone trying to please:

"Where, now, will ye be drivin' to?"

"Anywhere you please," came up the answer, musical and contented.

"'Tis drivin' for pleasure she is," thought Jerry, and then he suggested as a matter of course:

"Take a trip around in the park, lady. 'Twill be illegant cool and fine."

"Just as you like," answered the fare pleasantly.

The cab headed for Fifth avenue and sped up that perfect street. Jerry bounced and swayed in his seat. The potent fluids of McGary were disquieted, and they sent new fumes to his head.

He sang an ancient song of Killinook and brandished his whip like a baton.

Inside the cab the fare sat up straight on the cushions, looking to right and left at the lights and houses. Even in the shadowed hansom her eyes shone like stars at twilight.

When they reached Fifty-ninth street Jerry's head was bobbing and his reins were slack. But his horse turned in through the park gate and began the old familiar nocturnal round.

And then the fare leaned back, entranced, and breathed deep the clean, wholesome odors of grass and leaf and bloom. And the wise beast in the shafts, knowing his ground, struck into his by the hour gait and kept to the right of the road.

Habit also struggled successfully against Jerry's increasing torpor. He raised the hatch of his storm tossed vessel and made the inquiry that cabbies do make in the park.

"Like shtop at the Cas-sino, lady? Gezzer r'freshm's, 'a lish'n the music. Ev'body shtops."

"I think that would be nice," said the fare.

They reined up with a plunge at the Casino entrance. The cab doors flew open.

The fare stepped directly upon the floor. At once she was caught in a web of ravishing music and dazzled by a panorama of lights and colors. Some one slipped a little square card into her hand on which was printed a number—84.

She looked around and saw her cab twenty yards away already lining up in its place among the waiting mass of carriages, cabs and motorcars. And then a man who seemed to be all shirt front danced backward before her, and next she was seated at a little table by a railing over which climbed a jasmine vine.

There seemed to be a wordless invitation to purchase. She consulted a collection of small coins in a thin purse and received from them license to order a glass of beer.

There she sat, inhaling and absorbing it all, the new colored, new shaped life in a fairy palace in an enchanted wood.

At fifty tables sat princes and queens clad in all the silks and gems of the world. And now and then one of them would look curiously at Jerry's fare.

They saw a plain figure dressed in a pink silk of the kind that is tempered by the word "foulard" and a plain face that were a look of love of life that the queens envied.

Twice the long hands of the clocks went round. Royalties thinned from

NEXT SHE WAS SEATED AT A LITTLE TABLE.

their al fresco thrones and buzzed or clattered away in their vehicles of state.

The music retired into cases of wood and bags of leather and baize. Waiters removed cloths pointedly near the plain figure sitting almost alone.

Jerry's fare rose and held out her numbered card simply.

"Is there anything coming on the ticket?" she asked.

A waiter told her it was her cab check and that she should give it to the man at the entrance. This man took it and called the number. Only three hansoms stood in line. The driver of one of them went and roused out Jerry, asleep in his cab. He swore deeply, climbed to the captain's bridge and steered his craft to the pier. His fare entered, and the cab whirled into the cool fastnesses of the park along the shortest homeward cuts.

At the gate a glimmer of reason in the form of sudden suspicion seized upon Jerry's benighted mind. One or two things occurred to him. He stopped his horse, raised the trap and dropped his phonographic voice like a lead plummet through the aperture:

"I want to see $4 before goin' any farther on th' thrip. Have ye got th' doughr?"

"Four dollars?" laughed the fare softly. "Dear me, no! I've got only a few pennies and a dime or two."

Jerry shut down the trap and slashed his out fed horse. The clatter of hoofs strangled but could not drown the sound of his profanity.

He shouted choking and gurgling curses at the starry heavens, he cut viciously with his whip at passing vehicles, he scattered fierce and ever

"I'VE GOT A FARE HERE THAT"—

changing oaths and imprecations along the streets, so that a late truck driver, crawling homeward, heard and was abashed. But he knew his recourse and made for it at a gallop.

At the house with the green lights beside the steps he pulled up. He flung wide the cab doors and rumbled heavily to the ground.

"Come on, you," he said roughly.

His fare came forth with the Casino dreamy smile still on her plain face.

Jerry took her by the arm and led her into the police station. A gray mustached sergeant looked keenly across the desk. He and the cabby were no strangers.

"Sargeant," began Jerry in his old raucous, martyred, thunderous tones of complaint, "I've got a fare here that—"

Jerry paused. He drew a knotted red hand across his brow. The fog set up by McGary was beginning to clear away.

"A fare, sargeant," he continued, with a grin, "that I want to introduce to ye. It's me wife that I married at ould man Walsh's this avening. And a devil of a time we had, 'tis thrue. Shake hands wid th' sargeant, Norah, and we'll be off to home."

Before stepping into the cab Norah sighed profoundly.

"I've had such a nice time, Jerry," said she.

"Is he intelligent and well informed?" "Is he? Why, he's been summoned as a talesman a dozen times and never got a jury."—Exchange.

OLD GAMBLING CLUBS

Famous Resorts of the Betting Fraternity in London.

THE WAY FOX WAS TRICKED.

A Scheme That Allowed Him to Be Cheated by Lord Barrymore—Watier's, Commended by Lord Byron and Patronized by Beau Brummel.

In America such a thing as a proprietary club owned and managed by one man is almost unknown. In London it is the usual thing, and almost all the medium sized clubs which are devoted to some special purpose, such as card playing, are proprietary.

In the old days this was a money making enterprise, and some immense fortunes were piled up by the proprietors of London card clubs. But now whenever a club shows signs of unusual prosperity the members get together and insist on forming some sort of governing body which shall have power to pass upon the proposals for membership. They also see to it that the proprietor spends a proper proportion of his profits on the comfort of the members instead of putting everything in his pocket.

The fashions in the card clubs continually change with the years and with the games that are the rage. A century ago it was against the rules in many of the best clubs to play cards before dinner, whereas nowadays the principal play is between the hours of 4 and 7. The income of the proprietor today is from the annual subscriptions and from the fixed fees for card money. In the old days the largest source of revenue was from the counters picked up from the floor after the game was over.

George Ruggett, the owner of White's, one of the most famous gambling clubs in the world, situated on St. James' street, made it his rule to attend to his guests in person whenever exceptionally high play was in progress, knowing that he would be well repaid for his time. Upon one occasion, after picking up counters to the value of nearly $1,000 from the floor, he received a gift of almost as much from Harvey Combe, who had been playing from Monday evening until 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning. Sir John Malcolm, Tippoo Sahib and Ward, the member of parliament for London, being the other players at the table.

Some of the proprietary clubs adopted curious rules to attract and keep their customers. One of the chief difficulties then, as now, was to insure a game from any one that might happen to drop in at odd hours. One of these, nicknamed the Nerve Ending club, had a bylaw that no player should quit a table until a fresh arrival was ready to take his place.

One very popular feature was to provide light silken curtains which could be drawn between the faces of the players so as to conceal from an adversary any ungraded expression of disappointment or of triumph upon picking up a hand or following the course of play.

It was at this club that Fox lost a large sum of money to Lord Barrymore, who took advantage of the concealment of his own face to study the reflection of Fox's cards in the large polished steel buttons which he wore upon his coat.

At the corner of Bolton street and Piccadilly was Watier's club, which Byron records was a "superb club in 1815." Beau Brummel played here regularly for ten or twelve years, but the club eventually fell into disrepute through the want of proper supervision of the admissions to membership.

Swinburne says in his "Courts of Europe" that it was to this club that a player upon seeing the witty Lord Alvanley enter the room and dreading his satirical tongue, laid down his cards and pulled out a pair of pistols, which he laid on the table beside him. The only comment of Alvanley was:

"I hope you don't expect your adversary to follow suit?"

Every visitor to London who has passed down Piccadilly has probably remarked the imposing home of the Devonshire club at the southwest corner of St. James' street. Within this building the highest gambling in the world has probably taken place, the sums won and lost at Monte Carlo being nothing to those that changed hands here. The entrance was originally from the Piccadilly side, and many changes have been made in the interior arrangements, but some of the gilt chairs that were used by the high rollers of seventy years ago are still preserved in the cloakrooms.

The proprietor of this club was originally a small fishmonger named William Crockford, who had a shop near Temple Bar. His first venture in club proprietorship was to take Watier's old house, where hazard, the American game of craps, was the chief attraction. In this he had a partner named Taylor, and they both made money, but at the end of a year they separated, and Crockford went to St. James' street, where he prospered so well that he instructed the Wyatts to prepare plans for a new building.

This was opened in 1827, and, although it was a proprietary club, Crockford was shrewd enough to invest a committee with the right of election to membership, a move to which many persons attribute his immense success. Among the first of the names presented was that of the Duke of Wellington, and almost every man of note in England was either a member or a guest at some time or other.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Handicapped.

Two old settlers sat smoking in their cabin far away in the backwoods. No woman's hand had ever desecrated that sanctum, and grime reigned supreme and triumphant. The conversation veered around from state politics to cooking.

"Ya-as," said the elder of the two, with a drawl, "I did get one o' them there cookbooks wunst, but I could never do nothin' with it."

"How was that?" inquired the other. "What was the hitch?"

"Waal," was the answer, "every one o' them receits begun in the same way with the same words. Every one o' 'em started off with 'take a clean dish,' and I never got no farther."

And he slowly replaced his old black clay pipe in his mouth and fell to ruminating sadly on the narrow outlook on the world of human beings as displayed by authors of cookery books.

Origin of Kilts.

It will doubtless surprise many Scotchmen to learn that the kilt as at present worn is only a modern fancy costume and is not of Scottish origin at all. The honor of its invention is due to two Englishmen—an army tailor who accompanied General Wade's forces to Scotland in 1719 and Thomas Rawlinson, overseer of some iron works in Glengarry's country. For more than a century previously, indeed, the tartan plaid had been the common garb of the highlanders, but it was all in one piece, wound in folds around the body, leaving the knees bare. Prior to the adoption of the tartan, which probably took place about the close of the fifteenth century, the long, loose saffron colored skirt, the real "garb of old Gaul," was the highland dress.—London Mail.

SIR MARK'S HOTEL BILL.

Relic of an Early Nineteenth Century Election in Ireland.

During the time of a contested election in Meath, Ireland, in the early part of the last century, Sir Mark Somerville sent orders to the proprietor of the hotel in Trim to board and lodge all that should vote for him, for which he received the following bill, which he got framed, and it still hangs in Somerville House, County Meath:

April 16th, 1826.

MY BILL.

	£	s.	d.
To tenting sixteen freeholders above stairs for Sir Mark, at 2s 3d a head, is to me	2	12	0
To eating sixteen more below stairs, and two more after supper, is to me	2	15	3
To eighteen horses and five mules about my yard all night at 13s every one of them, and for a man which was lost on the head of watching them all night, is to me	5	5	0
To six beds in one room, and four in another, at two guineas every bed, and not more than four in any bed at any time, cheap enough, God knows, is to me	22	15	0
For breakfast on tay in the morning, for every one of them, and as many more as they brought in, as near as I can guess, is to me	4	12	6
To raw whisky and punch, without talking of pipes and tobacco, as well as for breaking a pot above stairs and other glasses and delph for the first day and night, I am not very sure, but for the three days and a half of the election as little as I can call it, and to be very exact, it is in all or thereabouts as near as I can guess, and not to be too particular, is to me at least	79	13	2
For shaving and cropping off the heads of forth-nine freeholders for Sir Mark, at 12d for every head of them by my brother, who has a vote is to me	2	13	1
For a womit and nurse for poor Tom Kernan in the middle of the night, when he was not expected, is to me			
ten hogs, I don't talk of the piper for keepin him sober as long as he was sober, is to me			
	110	18	7

Signed in the place of Jemmy Care wife,
his Mark X
Bryan and Geraghty's Mark X

You may say ill, so your honour Sir Mark send me this Eleven Hundred by Bryan himself, who and I pray for your success always in Trim, so no more at present.

The hotel keeper must have got weary as he neared the end of his long bill, for his account becomes as wabbly as some of his guests must have been when the crash of glass and delph accompanied their deep potation of raw whisky and punch.

The Iceman Likes June.

"People have an idea that we icemen make a small fortune during July and August," said a big ice dealer, "but in reality we barely clear expenses during these two months. They are no better for us than winter. In the first place, the heat makes the loss from melting very appreciable. Then fully half of those persons who are good customers are away during the whole of the two months, while nearly all are away at least part of the time. Business thus falls off fully half, while it is carried on at greater expense because of the melting. In the winter, on the other hand, there is practically no waste, but many people do not take ice at all, while those who do have not the need for so much. The best months for the icemen are May, June, September and October. In these it is warm enough to make people need ice, and at the same time most of the people are in the city. A piping hot May or a warm October are fine for us, for then we do a tremendous business, and where dealings are large we can afford a little melting."—Philadelphia Record.

Damascus of Marvelous View.

The view of Damascus from the mountain where Mohammed made his great renunciation is one of the marvelous views of the world. Again and again I deserted the mosques, the bazaars, the marble baths, the courts of the fountains, the shadowy khans and the gardens by the streams for that bare height on which Abraham is said to have had the unity of God revealed to him.—Robert Hichens in Century.

Imitation.

"Why, Gladys, you are spoiling your dolly!"

"No mamma; I am painting its cheeks with the same color that you use."—Judge.

An aspiration is joy forever, a possession as solid as a landed estate.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

A Storekeeper Says:

"A lady came into my store lately and said:

"'I have been using a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove all winter in my apartment. I want one now for my summer home. I think these oil stoves are wonderful. If only women knew what a comfort they are, they would all have one. I spoke about my stove to a lot of my friends, and they were astonished. They thought that there was smell and smoke from an oil stove, and that it heated a room just like any other stove. I told them of my experience, and one after another they got one, and now, not one of them would give here up for five times its cost.'"

The lady who said this had thought an oil stove was all right for quickly heating milk for a baby, or boiling a kettle of water, or to make coffee quickly in the morning, but she never dreamed of using it for difficult or heavy cooking. Now—she knows.

Do you really appreciate what a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove means to you? No more coal to carry, no more coming to the dinner table so tired out that you can't eat. Just light a Perfection Stove and immediately the heat from an intense blue flame shoots up to the bottom of pot, kettle or oven. But the room isn't heated. There is no smoke, no smell, no outside heat, no drudgery in the kitchen where one of these stoves is used.

Cautionary Note: Be sure you get this stove—see that the name-plate reads "New Perfection."

New Perfection
WICK BLUE FLAME
Oil Cook-stove

It has a Cabinet Top with a shelf for keeping plates and food hot. The nickel finish, with the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

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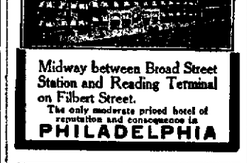

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